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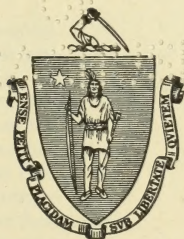
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MEMBERS OF THE STATE BOARD OF CHARITY.

[Names of *past* members in *italics*; of *present* members in small capitals.]

Date of Original Appointment	NAME	Residence	Qualified	Retired	Term expires
June 7, 1879	Moses Kimball*	Boston	June 12, 1879	October 27, 1880†	-
June 7, 1879	Nathan Allen, M.D.*	Lowell	June 19, 1879	June 7, 1880	-
June 7, 1879	Henry I. Bowditch, M.D.*	Boston	June 12, 1879	January 24, 1880†	-
June 7, 1879	Charles F. Donnelly*	Boston	September 3, 1902	June 7, 1907	-
June 7, 1879	Edward Hitchcock, M.D.*	Amherst	June 7, 1901	June 7, 1906	-
June 7, 1879	Albert Wood, M.D.	Worcester	June 10, 1879	June 7, 1880	-
June 7, 1879	Robert T. Davis, M.D.*	Fall River	June 14, 1879	January 22, 1884†	-
June 7, 1879	John C. Hoadley*	Lawrence	June 19, 1879	November 16, 1882†	-
June 7, 1879	Ezra Parmenter, M.D.*	Cambridge	June 18, 1879	February 1883†	-
January 27, 1880	David L. Webster*	Boston	January 30, 1880	April 11, 1881†	-
June 8, 1880	Charles F. Folsom, M.D.*	Boston	June 9, 1880	January 14, 1881†	-
June 8, 1880	Clara T. Leonard*	Springfield	June 12, 1880	March 19, 1886†	-
November 5, 1880	Thomas Talbot*	Billerica	November 12, 1880	March 12, 1884†	-
January 22, 1881	Alfred Hosmer, M.D.*	Watertown	January 28, 1881	December 4, 1882†	-
April 18, 1881	George P. Carter*	Cambridge	April 19, 1881	June 7, 1883	-
November 23, 1882	John Fallon*	Lawrence	December 2, 1882	December 15, 1889†	-
December 8, 1882	Henry P. Wolcott, M.D.	Cambridge	December 12, 1882	June 7, 1885	-
February 14, 1883	Albert A. Haggatt	Lowell	February 17, 1883	October 26, 1885†	-
May 31, 1883	Reuben Noble*	Westfield	June 12, 1883	June 16, 1885†	-
July 18, 1883	Edgar E. Dean, M.D.*	Brockton	July 27, 1883	December 1, 1887†	-
March 19, 1884	Everett Torrey*	Boston	March 24, 1884	August 16, 1886†	-
June 16, 1885	Charles A. Denny†	Leicester	June 18, 1885	November 4, 1889†	-
July 16, 1885	Samuel A. Green, M.D.	Boston	July 17, 1885	May 15, 1886†	-
April 14, 1886	Anne B. Richardson*	Lowell	June 21, 1895	January 26, 1899†	-
April 21, 1886	Henrietta G. Codman	Brookline	June 20, 1902	May 16, 1906†	-

MEMBERS OF THE BOARD.

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December 22, 1886	<i>Richard L. Hodgdon, M.D.*</i>	.	.	.	Arlington	December 24, 1886	January 30, 1893†	-
December 22, 1886	<i>Charles C. Coffin*</i>	.	.	.	Boston	December 27, 1886	December 17, 1889†	-
January 25, 1888	<i>D. Webster King</i>	.	.	.	Boston	January 27, 1888	August 5, 1889†	-
December 4, 1889	<i>George W. Johnson*</i>	.	.	.	Brookfield	June 6, 1901	September 1, 1903†	-
December 24, 1889	<i>Henry Stone*</i>	.	.	.	Boston	May 27, 1893	January 1, 1894†	-
December 24, 1889	<i>Laban Pratt</i>	.	.	.	Boston	June 8, 1904	June 7, 1909	-
January 1, 1890	<i>Ziba C. Keith*</i>	.	.	.	Brookton	January 4, 1890	June 11, 1891	-
June 11, 1891	<i>Charles J. Curran, M.D.</i>	.	.	.	North Adams	June 12, 1891	June 7, 1896	-
June 22, 1893	<i>Richard M. Hodges, M.D.†</i>	.	.	.	Boston	June 26, 1893	January 1, 1895†	-
February 15, 1894	<i>LEON TINE LINCOLN</i>	.	.	.	Fall River	September 13, 1913	-	June 7, 1918
February 14, 1895	<i>John L. Hildreth, M.D.</i>	.	.	.	Cambridge	September 3, 1895	July 2, 1898†	-
June 4, 1896	<i>Edward H. Haskell</i>	.	.	.	Newton	July 9, 1896	November 2, 1897†	-
November 16, 1897	<i>Jabez Fox</i>	.	.	.	Cambridge	November 20, 1897	September 5, 1900†	-
June 22, 1898	<i>Henry S. Nourse*</i>	.	.	.	Lancaster	June 5, 1903	November 14, 1903†	-
July 7, 1898	<i>James M. Pullman, D.D.*</i>	.	.	.	Lynn	June 11, 1900	November 22, 1903†	-
February 23, 1899	<i>Annette P. Rogers</i>	.	.	.	Boston	February 27, 1899	December 15, 1899†	-
December 13, 1899	<i>FRANCES GIBBEY CURTIS</i>	.	.	.	Boston	July 29, 1910	-	June 7, 1915
August 7, 1903	<i>Joseph Walker</i>	.	.	.	Brookline	September 1, 1903	January 16, 1904†	-
December 9, 1903	<i>CHARLES H. ADAMS</i>	.	.	.	Melrose	July 22, 1913	-	June 7, 1918
December 9, 1903	<i>DAVID F. TILLEY</i>	.	.	.	Boston	July 29, 1916	-	June 7, 1915
January 14, 1904	<i>CHARLES R. JOHNSON</i>	.	.	.	Worcester	June 24, 1914	-	June 7, 1916
June 6, 1905	<i>ABRAHAM C. KATSKESKY</i>	.	.	.	Boston	August 19, 1912	-	June 7, 1917
June 20, 1906	<i>JEFFREY R. BRACKETT</i>	.	.	.	Boston	July 7, 1911	-	June 7, 1916
June 12, 1907	<i>THOMAS DOWNEY</i>	.	.	.	Boston	August 6, 1912	-	June 7, 1917
June 16, 1909	<i>ADA ELIOT SHEFFIELD</i>	.	.	.	Cambridge	June 25, 1909	-	June 7, 1914

FRANK W. GOODHUE, *Superintendent of State Adult Poor.*JAMES E. FEE, *Superintendent of State Minor Wards.*ROBERT W. KELSO, *Secretary.*

* Deceased.

† Resigned.

† Died in office.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

STATE HOUSE, BOSTON, March 1, 1914.

To His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Council.

The Thirty-fifth Annual Report of the State Board of Charity covering the year from December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913, is herewith respectfully presented.

LEONTINE LINCOLN, *Chairman*
CHARLES H. ADAMS, *Vice-Chairman*
FRANCES GREELY CURTIS
DAVID F. TILLEY
CHARLES R. JOHNSON
ABRAHAM C. RATSHESKY
JEFFREY R. BRACKETT
THOMAS DOWNEY
ADA ELIOT SHEFFIELD

REPORT
OF THE
STATE BOARD OF CHARITY
—
PART I
—
GENERAL WORK OF THE BOARD

GENERAL WORK OF THE BOARD.

ORGANIZATION.

The membership of the Board is as follows: —

Leontine Lincoln, Fall River, *Chairman*.
Charles H. Adams, Melrose, *Vice-Chairman*.
Miss Frances Greely Curtis, Boston.
David F. Tilley, Boston.
Charles R. Johnson, Worcester.
Abraham C. Ratshesky, Boston.
Jeffrey R. Brackett, Boston.
Thomas Downey, Boston.
Mrs. Ada Eliot Sheffield, Cambridge.

Standing Committees.

Committee on State Adult Poor: Mr. Johnson, Mr. Adams, Mr. Ratshesky, Mr. Downey, Mrs. Sheffield, and the Chairman.

Committee on State Minor Wards: Miss Curtis, Mr. Tilley, Mr. Adams, Mr. Brackett, Mr. Ratshesky, and the Chairman.

Committee of General Visitation and Inspection: Mr. Tilley, Mr. Downey, Miss Curtis, Mr. Ratshesky, Mr. Brackett, Mrs. Sheffield, and the Chairman.

Committee on Inspection of Almshouses: Mr. Brackett, Miss Curtis, Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Sheffield, and the Chairman.

Committee on Finance: Mr. Lincoln, Mr. Adams, Mr. Ratshesky, Mr. Downey.

Committee on Social Service: Mrs. Sheffield, Miss Curtis, Mr. Adams, Mr. Tilley, and the Chairman.

Executive Committee: Mr. Lincoln, Mr. Adams, Miss Curtis, Mr. Tilley, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Brackett, Mrs. Sheffield.

Executive Officers.

Robert W. Kelso, Secretary of the Board.

Frank W. Goodhue, Superintendent of State Adult Poor.

James E. Fee, Superintendent of State Minor Wards.

In addition to its executive officers the Board employs a regular paid force of forty-six men and ninety-five women, and receives the gratuitous services of sixty-nine auxiliary visitors and ninety-one almshouse visitors, all women, and forty-six parole visitors, all men.

BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD.

1. The Board shall, at its regular meeting in June in each year, elect by ballot a Chairman and Vice-Chairman, who shall each hold office for one year, or until his successor shall have been chosen. Any vacancy in the office of Chairman or Vice-Chairman, during the year for which he may be elected, shall be filled by ballot. In the absence or disability of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman, a Chairman *pro tempore* may be chosen as the Board may determine.

2. Regular meetings of the Board shall be held on the first Friday of each month in the rooms of the Board at the State House, at two and one-half o'clock in the afternoon, or at such other place and hour as the Board may from time to time direct. Special meetings may be called by the Chairman, or, in his absence, by the Vice-Chairman, at such time and place as may be most convenient for the members of the Board; and in notifying such meetings the Secretary shall specify the subjects to be considered. Four members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

3. The Committees of the Board shall be: (1) a Committee on State Adult Poor, to consist of five members; (2) a Committee on State Minor Wards, to consist of five members; (3) a Committee of General Visitation and Inspection, to consist of six members; (4) a Committee on Inspection of Almshouses, to consist of four members; (5) a Committee on Finance, to consist of three members; (6) a Committee on Social Service, to consist of four members;—all to be appointed by the Chairman; (7) an Executive Committee, to consist of the Chairman, the Vice-Chairman, and the Chairman of the Standing Committees. The Chairman of the Board shall be, *ex officio*, an additional member of each of the Standing Committees. The Committee on State Adult Poor and the Committee on State Minor Wards shall severally hold meetings immediately before the monthly meetings of the Board, for the purpose of considering the reports of the Superintendents of Divisions, and preparing recommendations for the Board. The Committee of General Visitation and Inspection shall make monthly reports to the Board. The Committee on Inspection of Almshouses shall superintend and direct the visitation and inspection of city and town almshouses, and shall make monthly reports to the Board. The

Committee on Finance shall have general supervision of the expenditures of the Board under the several annual appropriations. The Executive Committee shall act for the Board in the intervals between its meetings, whenever immediate action is demanded; such action shall be reported at the next regular meeting of the Board, and, if no objection is made, shall be regarded as the will of the Board.

4. There shall be a Secretary of the Board, to be appointed by the Board. He shall be the Clerk of the Board, its auditor, and its disbursing officer. He shall be present at the meetings of the Board and of the Executive Committee, and keep a record of all transactions. He shall, subject to the direction of the Board, prepare the Annual Report and other reports and statistics; execute all provisions of the laws relating to incorporation of charities; execute all provisions of the laws relating to inspection and supervision, except such as are assigned to the Superintendents of State Adult Poor and State Minor Wards; and study and report to the Board on methods of public aid in this country and abroad. He shall make a monthly report to the Board of his audits and of other matters of concern to his office, and shall perform such other work as may be required of him.

5. There shall be a Superintendent of State Adult Poor, to be appointed by the Board. He shall, subject to the direction of the Board, execute all the provisions of the laws relating to sane inmates of the State Infirmary and the State Farm, the sick State poor, those ill of dangerous diseases, and those receiving temporary relief. He shall also make all necessary examinations and investigations regarding the settlement of all sane persons receiving public aid. He shall make monthly visits to the State Infirmary and the State Farm, and quarterly visits to the Rutland State Sanatorium, the North Reading State Sanatorium, the Lakeville State Sanatorium, and the Westfield State Sanatorium, and report upon their condition. His reports shall be made monthly, and he shall also annually, on or before December 15, furnish a summary of his work for the preceding fiscal year. He shall certify monthly to the Superintendents of the Foxborough State Hospital, the Massachusetts Hospital for Epileptics, and the Massachusetts School for the Feeble-minded, the amounts due from cities, towns, and individuals for the support of inmates of the above-named institutions; and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him. There shall be two Deputy Superintendents, who shall be under the direction of the Superintendent, and who shall have charge respectively of the work relating to the indoor and the outdoor poor.

6. There shall be a Superintendent of State Minor Wards, to be appointed by the Board. He shall, subject to the direction of the

Board, execute all the provisions of the laws relating to neglected and dependent children and juvenile offenders, and shall provide for the placing and visitation of all such children. Monthly visits shall be made under his direction to the Lyman School for Boys, the State Industrial School for Girls, the Massachusetts Hospital School, and the Industrial School for Boys, with reports upon their condition. He shall have charge of all moneys belonging to State minor wards. His reports shall be made monthly, and he shall annually, on or before December 15, furnish a summary of his work for the preceding fiscal year, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him. There shall be a Deputy Superintendent, who shall be under the direction of the Superintendent, and who shall have charge of the children over three years of age and of the infants.

7. All officers, agents and other employees appointed by the Board, shall hold office during the pleasure of the Board.

8. These by-laws may be amended by a vote of two-thirds of the full board, at any regular meeting, after previous notice of the change that is desired in the same by any member has been mailed to each member by the Secretary, three days, at least, before any vote shall be taken by the Board to make the proposed change.

DUTIES OF THE BOARD.

The duties of the Board fall under two heads, viz., Supervision and Administration.

SUPERVISION.

The duties of supervision comprise:—

a. The visitation and inspection of the State Infirmary, at Tewksbury; the State Farm, at Bridgewater; the Norfolk State Hospital for Inebriates, at Norfolk; the Lyman School for Boys, at Westborough; the State Industrial School for Girls, at Lancaster; the Massachusetts Hospital School, at Canton; the Industrial School for Boys, at Shirley; the State Sanatoria at Rutland, North Reading, Lakeville and Westfield; the city and town almshouses; the county training schools; the children in the custody of the Lyman and Industrial Schools cared for in families; the children supported by cities and towns and adults supported in families other than their own, by cities and towns; and such charitable corporations reporting to the Board as ask for or consent to such visitation and inspection; investigation,

with public hearing, and report to the Secretary of the Commonwealth in all cases of applications for the incorporation of charitable organizations; supervision of the work of the cities and towns in the relief of mothers with dependent children under fourteen years of age, as provided in chapter 763 of the Acts of 1913.

b. Publication of the results of visitation and inspection, with tabulated statements regarding the number of poor persons relieved and the cost of public poor relief.

c. Recommendations to the Legislature for changes in old laws and the enactment of new ones.

a. *Visitation.*

The direct visitation of the State institutions and of the private charitable corporations specified in Acts of 1909, chapter 379, as well as the investigation under Acts of 1910, chapter 181, of charities seeking incorporation, is made by committees and officials of the Board, as directed in the by-laws. The results of this visitation, with the three exceptions noted below, are given on pp. 21 *et seq.* of this part of the report. (1) The investigation of associations which have applied for charters since the Acts of 1910, chapter 181, went into effect will be found in Part II. (pp. iii-v), which is devoted exclusively to private charitable corporations. (2) The inspection of charitable agencies provided for by Acts of 1909, chapter 379, is taken up in Part II. (pp. v-xiv). (3) The results of almshouse inspection are given in full in Part III. The inspector has, during the official year, visited every almshouse once, 19 have been visited twice, 3 three times. In addition, the inspector has conferred with Overseers of the Poor of 34 different cities and towns in matters pertaining to almshouse conditions and management and other matters concerning the work of the Board.

Members of the Board have, from time to time, made visits to almshouses; in most cases to consider the condition of the buildings and the welfare of the inmates. The Board has been greatly assisted in this friendly visiting by its corps of voluntary almshouse visitors.

b. Publication.

In addition to its full annual report, of which 2,000 copies are printed, there are issued under the law, for the use of the Board, 500 copies of so much of the report as relates to the city and town almshouses and statistics of poor persons relieved by cities and towns, and 1,000 copies of so much as relates to charitable corporations.

In Part II. of the report are given abstracts of the reports of charitable corporations whose personal property is exempt from taxation, the reports being made annually to the Board, under the law. Of the 744 corporations whose returns were called for during the last official year, 42 failed to report; 34 of these delinquents have heretofore made the return. Twenty-three of the reports received were from corporations reporting for the first time.

The purpose in a seriatim presentation of the various reports is that of acquainting the public with the work of the respective agencies throughout the State. There is ample evidence that this purpose is being accomplished.

With the passage of chapter 82 of the Acts of 1913, annual reports will soon be assured from all active corporations, thus making Part II. of this report a complete directory of incorporated agencies.

Part II. contains also the record of new corporations, the petitions for which charities have been investigated by the Board. There is also an account of the Board's visitation and inspection of all agencies under the provisions of chapter 379 of the Acts of 1909.

The chapter on poor relief, found in Part III. of the report, furnishes details respecting the poor supported or relieved at public expense during the year ending March 31, 1913, — their numbers, condition, treatment and cost, — in tabulated form, which facilitates comparison. These facts are gathered from the annual returns of Overseers of the Poor of the several cities and towns; from the published town reports; from the records of the State institutions in which such relief has been rendered; and from the files of this Board.

Statistics of numbers refer strictly to the year ending March

31, 1913. Figures relating to cost, however, contain an element of inaccuracy, since the financial returns of the cities and towns relate, in each instance, to the town's fiscal year, while the only figures available for State care relate to the State's fiscal year, closing November 30, 1913. Figures of cost, therefore, are comparable only in the most general way. Greater accuracy in these cost tables awaits the adoption of a uniform town year, which will be coincident with the State's fiscal year. One step in advance has been made during this past year through legislation making the town year uniform but not coincident with the State's fiscal year. The act does not apply to cities (chapter 692, Acts of 1913). In the meantime it is believed that data regarding expenses for the State and for local communities are worth setting together for general comparison in spite of overlapping periods.

The tabulations taken from these returns of poor relief show that within the year covered the whole number of cases receiving public support or relief, excluding vagrants, was 71,411, of whom 19,988 were aided in institutions, State or local, and 51,423 were relieved outside, either in their own home or in private families not their own. This latter class constitute the group usually indicated by the term "public outdoor relief." The total cared for in city and town almshouses numbered 11,910; in other institutions, 3,404; in their own homes, 49,886; in private families not their own, 1,537; the cities and towns aided 66,737; the remainder, or 4,674, falling to the State. The sexes were almost equal. The foreign-born represented 33.5 per cent., a proportion which is 2.1 per cent. higher than the ratio of foreign born generally to the total in the population of the State. A negligible percentage were of the colored race. In respect of age at time of aid rendered 31,124, or 43.5 per cent., were under twenty years; 27,354, or 38.3 per cent., were between twenty and sixty; and 10,663, or 14.9 per cent., were sixty or over. The mentally impaired numbered 613.

Instances of tramps and vagrants aided were reported to the number of 14,141. This figure is, however, certainly an underestimate, inasmuch as the overseers, charged with the making of these returns, seldom report those instances of relief to tramps and wayfarers which are taken care of by the police.

On the other hand, because each application for relief, if followed by aid, is counted as one person aided, it is certain that the number of *cases* reported greatly exceeds the actual number of separate individuals represented.

The total expenses for public poor relief were \$3,533,843.57. The State paid \$623,890.66 of this sum; the remainder, or \$2,909,952.91, fell to the cities and towns. Of the local gross expense, \$2,872,802.37 was for ordinary outlays, including \$251,577.56 for administration. This item includes also \$1,285,940.60 for almshouse maintenance, \$238,849.62 for care in other institutions, \$215,039.10 for aid in private families, and \$881,395.49 for aid in the recipient's own home. From the total is to be subtracted \$337,426.69 received on account of almshouse care, and all other receipts, amounting to \$606,266.05, giving \$2,266,536.32 as the net ordinary expenditure. Extraordinary outlays totalled \$37,150.54.

c. Legislation.

The principal recommendations of the Board for legislative action are as follows:—

1. The establishment of an additional institution for the care of persons who have been legally declared to be feeble-minded, but who, because of the lack of facilities for their proper custody and treatment, still remain in the community and in institutions not suited to their care.

The existing institutions for the care of feeble-minded persons are filled to the limit of their capacity, and the waiting list of persons adjudged feeble-minded is greatly in excess of one thousand. Enlargement of the Wrentham State School, now being completed, can take care of but a small fraction of those persons who for lack of segregation are a menace in the community, in that they are a fruitful source of illegitimacy, prostitution, crime, and the perpetuation of mental defect. Much that the Commonwealth and its local communities are now doing to relieve distress and to safeguard public health and morals, is done as a direct result of their own failure to cut off the causes of such ills by segregating the persons who constitute the source.

This Board therefore concurs with the State Board of Insanity in recommending the immediate establishment of an additional State school for the segregation and care of feeble-minded persons, such institution to be administered after the manner of existing schools, and to fall under the supervision of the State Board of Insanity.

2. The Board has constantly in its care hundreds of children, each one of whom is for days, weeks, or perhaps months in need of hospital treatment. Such children are for the time being incapable of placement in homes. They require treatment in some institution until their health is such that they may be sent out into the community. With a total of 5,500 children in the Board's custody, this margin of cases requiring hospital care is constant and may be expected to increase six or seven per cent. each year, in exact proportion to the normal increase in the total number of wards. Some of these are feeble-minded, and would be cared for properly should the recommendation of the State Board of Insanity and of this Board, in regard to more care for the feeble-minded, meet with favor; but a large number must still remain. Yet the Board has no hospital in which to treat these children. Some, falling sick in their foster homes, are cared for by private hospitals at State expense. Most are sent to the State Infirmary, the only hospital to which the Board can send them. Here they are out of place, and tend to hamper the infirmary in its more legitimate activities. At the same time, they lose the benefit of special care and treatment, so frequently demanded by the miserable condition in which they are found by the authorities and in which they remain at the time of commitment to the Board's custody.

In view of these considerations, the Board recommends the establishment of a children's hospital, in some place other than Tewksbury, for the temporary care and treatment of State minor wards too ill to be cared for in foster homes.

3. The Board recommends the creation of a separate board of trustees to administer Penikese Hospital, retaining only the supervision in this Board.

Though the State Board of Charity has always believed that lepers should be cared for on the main land where nearness of friends and relatives would soften the sadness of exile, and where the outlay of public money would be much less, it has nevertheless maintained and developed the hospital located on the Island of Penikese in response to public feeling, so that, should the dispensary building asked for this year be granted, this institution would rank with the most efficient leprosaria in the world. And this work will be cheerfully continued, should the Legislature consider that the wiser course. This recommendation of a separate administrative Board is made solely in the belief that the administration of State institutions and their supervision should in all cases be placed in separate bodies, and that the duties of a board primarily supervisory in nature should not be complicated by administrative duties, where necessity or considerations of public expediency do not appear.

4. The Board believes that supervision should be assumed by the State government over all wayfarers' lodges and cheap lodging houses. Because this is a problem not separable in treatment from vagrancy, outdoor poor relief, and drunkenness, the duty of such supervision should fall in the department of Charity.

5. An amendment to chapter 181 of the Acts of 1910, rendering the Board's approval requisite to the incorporation of private charities. Under this statute, the Board is required to investigate all petitions for the incorporation of private charities, to give public hearings and to report its findings to the Secretary of the Commonwealth. The operation of this law, in connection with chapter 402 of the Acts of 1903, requiring annual reporting by all charities, and chapter 379 of the Acts of 1909 providing annual inspection of incorporated charitable agencies, is demonstrating beyond all question the wisdom of State supervision of incorporated charitable agencies. Though this policy is of recent date, the incorporated charities of the entire Commonwealth have come to look upon State supervision as a help in the development of right standards of relief. The

Board believes that the time has come when its special knowledge in the field of private charities should be brought to bear upon all new petitions for the incorporation of charities by rendering its approval requisite to the issuance of a charter.

6. In its supervision of the field of relief, public and private, the Board makes a study of all agencies and sources for philanthropic effort. In this study it is necessary to ascertain the various charitable trusts, and special funds created by will; but no means exist by which the fact of such trusts and bequests may be obtained, except the long and costly method of searching local records. The Board therefore requests legislation providing for notice from registers of probate and of deeds, when wills or deeds are filed containing charitable bequests, trusts or foundations.

7. In order to carry on its duties with the highest degree of efficiency and expediency, the Board requests legislation providing for certain special district police officers, to serve the Board in its execution of chapter 456 of the Acts of 1911, and chapter 563 of the Acts of 1913. These officers would be in every way analogous to police officers already authorized for certain purposes in the Board's work, and would involve no additional expense to the Commonwealth.

8. Because of necessary increase in the number of the Board's agents to whom cash is advanced by the Board's disbursing officer, to cover their expenses, the amount of such advance money allowed to be held at one time by the said disbursing officer under the law, has again become inadequate, unless expense accounts are to be rendered by agents every few days, causing much unnecessary expenditure of labor not only in this department, but in the department of the auditor of the Commonwealth. To relieve this situation, the Board requests an amendment to chapter six of the Revised Laws, increasing the amount of advance money which may be held by its disbursing officer at any one time, and also increasing his bond in proportion.

9. Experience in the administration of Penikese Hospital fully demonstrates the need of specially adapted facilities for the care and treatment of lepers. It is essential that the enforcement of cleanliness with regularity of treatment be brought about without unduly exposing the staff of officers whose duty it is to bathe these patients, treat them and bind up their wounds. The Board therefore asks for a one-story structure containing bathing facilities, dispensary and space for X-ray apparatus, with adjoining wings for bed cases. The outside estimate for this structure equipped and furnished is \$40,000.

The following measures affecting the Board were passed by the Legislature of 1913:—

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 73.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CARE AND TREATMENT OF PERSONS
AFFLICTED WITH LEPROSY.

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter four hundred and seventy-four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and five is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:—The said board in maintaining said hospital shall have power to retain all persons afflicted with leprosy for such time as it shall deem necessary for the well-being of the patient and the safety of the public, and may discharge such persons when in its judgment their health and the public welfare would not be endangered thereby,—so as to read as follows:—*Section 1.* The state board of charity, subject to the approval of the governor, shall be authorized to take in the name and for the use of the commonwealth land in fee by purchase or eminent domain, and to erect and maintain thereon a hospital for the custody, care and treatment of persons afflicted with leprosy, and for said purpose may expend a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars. The said board in maintaining said hospital shall have power to retain all persons afflicted with leprosy for such time as it shall deem necessary for the well-being of the patient and the safety of the public, and may discharge such persons when in its judgment their health and the public welfare would not be endangered thereby.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved February 14, 1913.*]

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 82.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO REPORTS OF CHARITABLE CORPORATIONS.

SECTION 1. Section fourteen of chapter eighty-four of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter four hundred and two of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and three, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following:—If any corporation subject to the provisions of this act shall fail for two successive years to file the said report, the supreme judicial court, upon application by the state board of charity, after notice and a hearing, may decree a dissolution of the corporation,—so as to read as follows:—*Section 14.* A charitable corporation whose personal property is exempt from taxation under the provisions of clause three of section five of chapter twelve shall annually, on or before the first day of November, make to the state board of charity a written or printed report for its last financial year, showing its property, its receipts and expenditures, the whole number and the average number of its beneficiaries and such other information as the board may require. If any corporation subject to the provisions of this act shall fail for two successive years to file the said report, the supreme judicial court, upon application by the state board of charity, after notice and a hearing, may decree a dissolution of the corporation.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon the first day of November in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen. [*Approved February 14, 1913.*]

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 112.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PLACING OF PAUPER CHILDREN IN FAMILIES.

SECTION 1. Section seven of chapter eighty-one of the Revised Laws, as amended by section two of chapter three hundred and three of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and five, is hereby further amended by striking out the word “five”, in the sixth line, and inserting in place thereof the word:—three,—so as to read as follows:—*Section 7.* No such child who can be cared for as provided in section five without inordinate expense shall be retained in an almshouse unless he is a state pauper or an idiot, or otherwise so defective in body or mind as to make his retention in an almshouse desirable, or unless he is under the age of three years and his mother is an inmate thereof and is a suitable person to aid in taking care of him.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage. [*Approved February 17, 1913.*]

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 563.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO ILLEGITIMATE CHILDREN AND THEIR MAINTENANCE.

SECTION 1. Whoever, not being the husband of a woman, gets her with child shall be guilty of a misdemeanor. Proceedings under any section of this act may be begun in the municipal, district or police court having jurisdiction in the place where the defendant lives, and if there be no such court, then in any municipal, district or police court in the county; or in the municipal, district or police court having jurisdiction in the place where the mother of the illegitimate child lives; and if there be no such court, then in any municipal, district or police court in the county. If no court has jurisdiction as aforesaid, proceedings may be begun before a trial justice in the county where such defendant or such mother lives.

SECTION 2. If the defendant pleads guilty or nolo contendere, or is found guilty, the court or justice shall enter a judgment adjudging him the father of such child; but such adjudication shall not be made after a plea of not guilty, against the objection of the defendant, until the child is born or the court or justice finds that the mother is at least six months advanced in pregnancy. No provision of law limiting adjournments or continuances shall apply to proceedings under any section of this act. At the sitting when such adjudication is made, if made after a plea of not guilty, the defendant may appeal therefrom to the superior court as in other criminal cases. Such adjudication, whether any sentence be imposed or not, shall be final and conclusive unless an appeal from such adjudication to the superior court be taken as hereinbefore provided, or, if such adjudication be made by the superior court, unless set aside upon an appeal taken not later than three days thereafter under the provisions of section thirty-two of chapter two hundred and nineteen of the Revised Laws, or upon exceptions. Such adjudication may be entered by the superior court notwithstanding exceptions have been alleged or an appeal has been taken. The court or justice making such adjudication may within one year thereafter grant a new trial for any cause.

SECTION 3. If the court or justice having jurisdiction of any case under any section of this act becomes satisfied that no living child will be born of which the defendant at the time of making the complaint was the father, or that the defendant and the mother have married each other and the child has become or will be the legitimate child of the defendant, or that adequate provision has been made for the maintenance of the child, the complaint may be

dismissed and any adjudication vacated; and if the court or justice certifies that such provision has been made, no further complaint shall be maintained under any section of this act.

SECTION 4. If the child has not been born at the time of such adjudication, the court or justice having jurisdiction of the case shall continue the case from time to time until the child is born. At any time after such adjudication, after inquiring into the respective means of the defendant and the mother, the court or justice having jurisdiction of the case may make an order for the payment to the mother or to a probation officer of a sum of money to be determined by the court or justice for the expenses of the confinement of the mother, and for failure to comply with such order may order that the defendant be committed to jail, as for a contempt of court, for a term not exceeding two months, unless he shall sooner comply with the order of the court.

SECTION 5. After such adjudication, the court or justice having jurisdiction of the case may make such order as may be considered expedient relative to the care and custody of the child, and afterward from time to time may revise and alter the said order, as justice and the welfare of the child require, and the order shall be binding on all persons.

SECTION 6. After such adjudication, and after the child has been born, the defendant shall be liable to contribute reasonably to the support of the child during minority, and shall be subject upon the original complaint under section one of this act, to all the penalties and all the orders for the support and maintenance of the child provided in the case of a parent who is found guilty of unreasonably neglecting to provide for the support and maintenance of a minor child by chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto; and the practice thereby established shall, so far as it is applicable, apply to proceedings under this section and the preceding sections of this act.

SECTION 7. Any father of an illegitimate child, whether such child shall have been begotten within or without this commonwealth, and whether such child shall have been begotten before or after the taking effect of this act, who neglects or refuses to contribute reasonably to the support and maintenance of such child shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be liable to all the penalties and all the orders for the support of the child provided in the case of a parent who is found guilty of unreasonably neglecting to provide for the support and maintenance of a minor child by chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eleven and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto; and the practice thereby estab-

lished shall, so far as it is applicable, apply to proceedings under this section. If there has been any final adjudication under this act, such judgment, order or adjudication shall be conclusive on all persons in proceedings under this section; otherwise, the question of paternity shall be determined in proceedings under this section: *provided, however*, that no proceedings shall be maintained under the provisions of this act in any case where proceedings have been begun under chapter eighty-two of the Revised Laws and acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto.

SECTION 8. Appealed proceedings under this act shall be placed on the trial list for each sitting of the superior court for the trial of criminal cases until tried, and shall have precedence next after the cases mentioned in section thirty-two of chapter one hundred and fifty-seven of the Revised Laws.

SECTION 9. Chapter eighty-two of the Revised Laws and all acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto are hereby repealed: but this repeal shall not affect any proceeding begun before the first day of July, in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen.

SECTION 10. This act shall take effect on the first day of July in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen. [*Approved April 26, 1913.*]

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 763.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR SUITABLY AIDING MOTHERS WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN.

SECTION 1. In every city and town the overseers of the poor shall, subject to the provisions of the subsequent sections of this act, aid all mothers with dependent children under fourteen years of age, if such mothers are fit to bring up their children. The aid furnished shall be sufficient to enable the mothers to bring up their children properly in their own homes; and such mothers and their children shall not be deemed to be paupers by reason of receiving aid as aforesaid.

SECTION 2. Before aiding any mother under the foregoing section, except as hereinafter provided, the overseers of the poor shall determine that the mother is fit to bring up her children and that the other members of the household and the surroundings of the home are such as to make for good character, and that aid from the overseers is necessary to enable her to bring up her children properly, by making an immediate and careful inquiry including the resources of the family and the ability of its other members, if any, to work or otherwise contribute to its support, the existence of relatives able to assist the family, and of individuals, societies or agencies who may be interested therein; shall take all lawful means to compel all persons bound to support the mother and

children to support them, and to enforce any other legal rights for their benefit; shall press all members of the family who are able to work, other than the mother and her dependent children, to secure work; shall try to secure work for them; and shall secure all necessary aid for the mother and children which can be secured from relatives, organizations or individuals. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to prevent the overseers from giving prompt and suitable temporary aid hereunder, pending compliance with the requirements of this section, when in their opinion such aid is necessary and cannot be obtained from other sources. A detailed statement of expenses incurred under this section shall be rendered to the state board of charity, together with such certificates or other guarantees as the said board may require.

SECTION 3. The said overseers, either by one of their own number or by their duly appointed agent, shall visit at least once in every three months at their homes or other place or places where they may be living, each mother and her dependent children who are being aided financially or otherwise by said overseers, and after each visit shall make and keep on file as a part of their official records a detailed statement of the condition of the home and family and all other data which may assist in determining the wisdom of the measures taken and the advisability of their continuance; and said overseers shall at least once in each year reconsider the case of each mother with dependent children with whom they are dealing, and enter their determination with the reason therefor on their official records.

SECTION 4. This act shall apply to all mothers and their dependent children, whether or not they or any of them may have a settlement within the commonwealth, who shall have resided in the commonwealth not less than three years. No person shall acquire a settlement or be in process of acquiring a settlement while receiving aid hereunder.

SECTION 5. The state board of charity shall hereafter supervise the work done and measures taken by the overseers of the poor of the several cities and towns in respect to families in which there is one child or more under the age of fourteen, whether or not such family or any member thereof has a settlement within the commonwealth; and for this purpose may establish such rules relative to notice as they deem necessary and may visit and inspect any or all families aided under this act, and shall have access to any records and other data kept by the overseers of the poor or their representatives relating to such aid; and said board shall, in its annual report to the legislature, report upon the work done by its own agents and by the overseers of the poor in respect to such families any of whose members are without legal settlement in the

commonwealth; and shall make a separate report on the work done by the overseers of the poor in respect to such families in which all the members have a legal settlement in the commonwealth.

SECTION 6. In respect to all mothers in receipt of aid hereunder the city or town rendering the aid shall be reimbursed by the commonwealth, after approval of the bills by the state board of charity, for one third of the amount of the aid given. If the mother so aided has no settlement, the city or town shall be reimbursed for the total amount of the aid given after approval of the bills by the state board of charity as aforesaid. If the mother so aided has a lawful settlement in another city or town two thirds of the amount of such aid given may be recovered in an action of contract against the city or town liable therefor in accordance with the provisions of chapter eighty-one of the Revised Laws and acts in amendment thereof and in addition thereto.

SECTION 7. For the purpose of reimbursing the cities and towns, as provided in the foregoing section, there shall be appropriated from the treasury of the commonwealth the sum of fifty thousand dollars for the operations of the first year.

SECTION 8. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 9. This act shall take effect on the first day of September, nineteen hundred and thirteen. [*Approved June 12, 1913.*]

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 797.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE PAYMENT BY THE COMMONWEALTH TO CITIES AND TOWNS OF CERTAIN EXPENSES INCURRED FOR SICK PERSONS.

SECTION 1. Section fifteen of chapter eighty-five of the Revised Laws as amended by chapter five hundred and fifty-five of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and eight, is hereby further amended by striking out the word "five", in the nineteenth line, and inserting in place thereof the word:—seven,—so as to read as follows:—*Section 15.* The reasonable expense which is incurred by a city or town under the provisions of the preceding section within five days next before notice has been given as therein required and also after the giving of such notice and until said sick person is able to be removed to the state hospital shall be reimbursed by the commonwealth. If the state board of charity considers it expedient to order the removal to the state hospital of a person whose physical condition is such as to require attendance, then the reasonable expense incurred for such attendance, as directed by the state board of charity, shall also be reimbursed by the commonwealth. The bills for such support shall not be allowed unless they are indorsed

with the declaration that, after full investigation, no kindred able to pay the amount charged have been found, and that the amount has actually been paid from the city or town treasury, nor unless they are approved by the state board of charity or by a person designated by it; and not more than seven dollars a week shall be allowed for the support of a person in a city or town hospital.

SECTION 2. So much of any act as is inconsistent with this act is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect on the first day of December, nineteen hundred and thirteen. [*Approved June 13, 1913.*]

RESOLVES OF 1913, CHAPTER 14.

RESOLVE TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BOARD OF CHARITY TO PREPARE AND PUBLISH A MANUAL OF LAWS CONCERNING THE CHARITIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Resolved, That the state board of charity is hereby authorized to prepare and publish a manual of laws concerning the charities of the commonwealth, and may expend for this purpose, a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars. [*Approved February 26, 1913.*]

In addition to the foregoing, the field of the Board's activities is indirectly affected by chapter 114, an act relative to vagabonds, etc.; by chapter 266, an act providing that certain needy persons shall not be termed paupers; by chapter 457, an act to authorize continuances in cases against children; by chapter 404, an act relative to trespassing upon the land of certain public institutions; by chapter 467, relating to evening school attendance of illiterate minors; by chapter 620, an act relative to penalties for drunkenness; by chapter 670, an act relative to the reporting of cases of contagious diseases to the State Board of Health; by chapter 692, an act establishing the financial year of towns; by chapter 779, an act relative to school attendance and the employment of minors; by chapter 796 of the acts and chapter 124 of the resolves, both relating to provision for separate custody of defective delinquents; and by chapter 831, an act to regulate the labor of minors.

THE STATE INSTITUTIONS.

The State institutions under the supervision of the Board are: the State Infirmary, at Tewksbury; the State Farm, at Bridgewater; the Norfolk State Hospital; the Lyman School

for Boys, at Westborough; the Industrial School for Boys, at Shirley; the State Industrial School for Girls, at Lancaster; the Massachusetts Hospital School, at Canton; the North Reading State Sanatorium; the Rutland State Sanatorium; the Lakeville State Sanatorium; and the Westfield State Sanatorium.

The supervisory powers of the Board over these institutions extend to the right of investigation and recommendation as to any matters relating to the institutions, but the administration of each is vested in a separate Board of Trustees.

The State Infirmary and the State Farm are controlled by one Board of Trustees. Its membership is as follows: John B. Tivnan, Salem, *Chairman*; Helen R. Smith, Newton; Leonard Huntress, Lowell; Galen L. Stone, Brookline; Nellie E. Talbot, Brookline; Francis W. Anthony, Haverhill; Walter F. Dearborn, Cambridge.

The Norfolk State Hospital for the care and treatment of inebriates is administered by the Board of Trustees of the Foxborough State Hospital, composed as follows: Robert A. Woods, Boston, *Chairman*; W. Rodman Peabody, Cambridge; Philip R. Allen, Walpole; Timothy J. Foley, Worcester; Frank L. Locke, Malden; Edwin Mulready, Rockland; William H. Prescott, Boston.

The Trustees of Hospitals for Consumptives administer the four sanatoria, but have no powers over the tuberculosis wards of the State Infirmary. The Board is constituted as follows: Walter C. Bailey, M.D., Boston, *Chairman*; Albert C. Getchell, Worcester; Arthur Drinkwater, Cambridge; Sylvia B. Knowlton, Newton; Daniel L. Prendergast, Brookline; Simon Swig, Taunton; George A. Dunn, Gardner.

The three training or industrial schools fall under the control of the Trustees of the Massachusetts Training Schools. The Board is as follows: Carl Dreyfus, Boston, *Chairman*; James J. Sheehan, Peabody; Mary Josephine Bleakie, Brookline; Matthew Luce, Cohasset; John F. Scully, Arlington; Elizabeth G. Evans, Boston; Charles M. Davenport, Boston; James W. McDonald, Marlborough; Lewis M. Palmer, South Framingham.

The Massachusetts Hospital School is administered by the following Board of Trustees: Edward H. Bradford, M.D.,

Boston, *Chairman*; Leonard W. Ross, Mattapan, *Secretary*; Walter C. Baylies, Taunton; William F. Fitzgerald, Brookline; Alfred S. Pinkerton, Worcester.

In addition to the eleven State institutions which the Board supervises is Penikese Hospital, the Massachusetts hospital for the care and treatment of persons afflicted with leprosy. This institution is administered directly by the State Board of Charity. For the sake of uniformity and comparison, all twelve institutions are grouped together in this report.

NUMBERS.

The total number of cases under care in these institutions during the year was 19,506. Of the total number 15,063 were males and 4,443 were females. Ten thousand and sixty were received for hospital treatment; 2,182 were juvenile delinquents; 6,140 were adult offenders, mostly chronic drunkards; and 1,124 were indigent persons, having no legal settlement and not included in the above classifications. Of the hospital cases, 3,213 were suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis; 1,623 were insane.

CAPACITY.

Three institutions, namely, Lyman School, the Industrial School for Boys, and the North Reading State Sanatorium, showed an excess in daily average attendance over normal capacity. All of the remaining nine, with the exception of the State Farm, are practically full, the attendance at times exceeding proper facilities for care and treatment. The Industrial School for Boys is in process of increasing its normal capacity to meet the pressure of commitments. Two of the sanatoria, showing an excess last year, appear this year in the decrease column. This condition is temporary, however, and arises out of the construction of new buildings included in the normal capacity but not fully occupied at the end of the year. The marked increase in commitments to Lyman School, noted in 1912, has continued throughout 1913, so that the overcrowding has become serious. The trustees ask this year for a new cottage to house 30 boys. The Industrial School for Girls has been somewhat relieved by the transfer of cases

to Sherborn. Serious overcrowding at the State Infirmiry must continue unless provision can be made elsewhere for the insane and the feeble-minded. The State Board of Insanity and this Board unite this year in recommending the immediate establishment of an additional school for the feeble-minded. The accompanying tabulation indicates the fluctuations of daily attendance above and below the normal capacity for inmates for each institution.

Capacities of the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.

INSTITUTIONS	Normal Capacity	Largest Number present at Any One Time	Smallest Number present at Any One Time	Daily Average Number present during the Year	Increase of Daily Average over Normal Capacity	Decrease of Daily Average over Normal Capacity
State Infirmiry	2,336	2,595	2,170	2,312.87	-	23.13
State Farm	3,100	2,706	2,488	2,592.00	-	508.00
Norfolk State Hospital	97	93	41	58.25	-	33.75
Lyman School for Boys	383	439	382	403.39	25.39	-
Industrial School for Boys	180	192	172	182.26	2.26	-
Industrial School for Girls	312	332	288	308.00	-	4.00
Massachusetts Hospital School	270	257	202	235.83	-	34.17
Rutland State Sanatorium	354	361	337	348.00	-	6.00
North Reading State Sanatorium	174	184	171	178.56	4.56	-
Lakeville State Sanatorium	240	215	176	194.85	-	45.15
Westfield State Sanatorium	183	193	168	182.60	-	14.40
Penikese Hospital	19	16	14	14.74	-	4.26
Totals	7,648	7,583	6,609	7,016.35	-	-

COST OF MAINTENANCE.

The combined appropriations for maintenance were \$1,620,-359. The total expenditures on the same account were \$1,635,236.60, creating a net deficit of \$14,877.60. Of the sum expended, \$599,930.30 was for salaries, wages and labor; all other expenses, \$1,035,306.30. For the coming year the respective Boards of Trustees submit estimates for maintenance appropriations, as shown in Table I., all of which are approved by this Board. To the tabulation is added for better compari-

son the Board's own estimate for Penikese Hospital. Estimates for special purposes will be considered later in this report under each of the institutions separately.

COMPARATIVE VIEW OF MOVEMENT OF POPULATION AND OF EXPENDITURES.

The movement of population in the twelve institutions mentioned in the foregoing pages is shown in brief but comparative form in Table II. Inmates are classified by sex, while the daily average attendance appears in a column adjoining the average number of officers and employees. The average number of persons employed, shown in this table, is obtained from an exact analysis of the pay rolls reducing all employment to a basis of days. Table III. affords a comparative view of expenditures at all the institutions, classified as "current" and "extraordinary." Tables II. and III. are drawn in accordance with the statistical form adopted by the National Conference of Charities and Correction, May 15, 1906.

TABLE I. — Comparative Estimates for Maintenance during the Fiscal Year 1914.

INSTITUTIONS	Salaries, Wages, and Labor	Food	Clothing and Materials	Furnish- ings	Heat, Light, and Power	Repairs and Improvements	Farm, Stable, and Grounds	Religious Services	Miscella- neous	Total
State Infirmary	\$170,000 00	\$134,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$16,000 00	\$42,000 00	\$32,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$23,000 00	\$471,000 00
State Farm	116,000 00	96,000 00	27,000 00	10,000 00	34,000 00	20,000 00	26,000 00	2,000 00	26,000 00	357,000 00
Norfolk State Hospital	26,300 00	16,000 00	3,900 00	5,750 00	14,200 00	3,250 00	7,000 00	600 00	13,000 00	90,000 00
Lyman School for Boys	50,600 00	21,000 00	10,000 00	2,500 00	12,500 00	*6,000 00	8,000 00	1,100 00	11,500 00	123,200 00
Industrial School for Boys	33,870 00	13,500 00	6,348 00	2,215 00	3,625 00	2,200 00	8,000 00	1,000 00	6,950 00	77,708 00
Industrial School for Girls	37,988 00	12,500 00	6,000 00	3,600 00	8,000 00	3,000 00	7,000 00	1,000 00	5,000 00	83,488 00
Massachusetts Hospital School	33,000 00	19,965 00	2,734 00	1,619 00	11,214 00	2,488 00	4,560 00	1,560 00	6,309 00	83,539 00
Rutland State Sanatorium	67,500 00	77,000 00	100 00	9,900 00	14,000 00	14,000 00	8,000 00	1,500 00	13,000 00	205,000 00
North Reading State Sanatorium	37,271 28	29,050 00	200 00	2,800 00	5,820 00	3,100 00	3,400 00	1,425 00	5,525 00	88,591 28
Lakeville State Sanatorium	42,220 00	38,000 00	300 00	5,500 00	7,000 00	5,500 00	5,500 00	1,250 00	8,050 00	113,320 00
Westfield State Sanatorium	48,000 00	37,000 00	600 00	6,000 00	8,500 00	8,000 00	9,500 00	1,200 00	8,200 00	127,000 00
Penikese Hospital	13,620 00	4,000 00	850 00	1,100 00	2,202 50	3,657 62	1,500 00	25 00	3,044 88	30,000 00
Totals	\$676,459 28	\$498,015 00	\$80,032 00	\$66,384 00	\$163,061 50	\$103,195 62	\$108,460 00	\$14,660 00	\$139,578 88	\$1,849,846 28
Trustees, Massachusetts Training Schools, Massachusetts Hospitals for Consumptives,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61,520 00
Grand totals.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,320 00
Expenses, 1913	\$599,930 30	\$454,911 47	\$72,652 24	\$51,530 10	\$148,304 83	\$76,045 74	\$95,479 36	\$10,756 13	\$125,626 43	1,715,443 21 ¹
Increase in estimates, 1914	\$76,528 98	\$43,103 53	\$7,379 76	\$14,853 90	\$14,756 67	\$27,149 88	\$12,980 64	\$3,903 87	\$13,952 45	\$208,243 07

¹ Includes \$80,206.61 expenses for Trustees of Massachusetts Training Schools and Hospitals for Consumptives (see Table VI., Part III.).

TABLE II. — *Population.*

INSTITUTIONS	SUPERINTENDENTS	POPULATION								
		NUMBER OF INMATES PRESENT AT BEGINNING OF FISCAL YEAR			NUMBER RECEIVED DURING THE YEAR			NUMBER DISCHARGED OR DIED DURING THE YEAR		
		M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
State Infirmary	John H. Nichols, M.D.	1,236	997	2,233	3,286	954	4,240	3,193	926	4,119
State Farm	Hollis M. Blackstone	2,419	179	2,598	4,710	569	5,279	4,673	590	5,263
Norfolk State Hospital	Irwin H. Neff, M.D.	46	-	46	329	-	329	284	-	284
Lyman School for Boys	Elmer L. Coffeen	385	-	385	664	-	664	609	-	609
Industrial School for Boys	George P. Campbell	183	-	183	387	-	387	391	-	391
Industrial School for Girls	Amy F. Everall	-	299	299	-	264	264	-	258	258
Massachusetts Hospital School	John E. Fish, M.D.	155	83	238	33	24	57	35	10	45
Rutland State Sanatorium	Ellicott Washburn, M.D.	176	169	345	225	224	449	223	215	438
North Reading State Sanatorium	Carl C. MacCorison, M.D.	93	85	178	178	145	323	176	144	320
Lakeville State Sanatorium	Sumner Coolidge, M.D.	99	80	179	223	147	370	190	145	335
Westfield State Sanatorium	Henry D. Chadwick, M.D.	86	84	170	137	136	273	127	131	258
Penikese Hospital	Frank H. Parker, M.D.	11	4	15	2	-	2	2	-	2
Totals		4,889	1,980	6,869	10,174	2,463	12,637	9,903	2,419	12,322

TABLE II. — *Population — Concluded.*

INSTITUTIONS		SUPERINTENDENTS		POPULATION — <i>Concluded.</i>								
				NUMBER AT END OF THE YEAR			DAILY AVERAGE AT- TENDANCE DURING THE YEAR			AVERAGE NUMBER OF OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES DURING THE YEAR		
				M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
State Infirmary	.	.	.	1,329	1,025	2,354	1,277.72	1,035.15	2,312.87	163.13	177.78	340.91
State Farm	.	.	.	2,456	158	2,614	2,428.00	164.00	2,592.00	171.00	26.00	197.00
Norfolk State Hospital	.	.	.	91	-	91	58.25	-	58.25	22.77	-	22.77
Lyman School for Boys	.	.	.	440	-	440	408.39	-	408.39	42.28	37.52	79.80
Industrial School for Boys	.	.	.	179	-	179	182.26	-	182.26	33.00	11.00	44.00
Industrial School for Girls	.	.	.	-	305	305	-	308.00	308.00	23.00	53.00	76.00
Massachusetts Hospital School	.	.	.	153	97	250	148.34	87.49	235.83	23.49	43.59	67.08
Rutland State Sanatorium	.	.	.	178	178	356	176.00	172.00	348.00	125.00	75.50	200.50
North Reading State Sanatorium	.	.	.	95	86	181	93.94	84.62	178.56	39.33	30.23	69.56
Lakeville State Sanatorium	.	.	.	132	82	214	115.00	79.00	194.00	50.00	24.00	74.00
Westfield State Sanatorium	.	.	.	96	89	185	94.50	88.10	182.60	49.10	23.10	73.20
Penikese Hospital	.	.	.	11	4	15	10.74	4.00	14.74	5.80	1.50	7.30
Totals	.	.	.	5,160	2,024	7,184	4,993.14	2,022.36	7,015.50	747.90	503.22	1,252.12

THE INSTITUTIONS SEVERALLY.

A brief statement relating to the general supervision of each institution will be followed by comparative and more detailed consideration of financial administration.

The State Infirmmary, Tewksbury.

JOHN H. NICHOLS, M.D., *Superintendent.*

Numbers.

INMATES	SANE				INSANE			TOTALS			
	Men	Women	Minors	Totals	Men	Women	Totals	Men	Women	Minors	Totals
Number December 1, 1912 .	879	256	370	1,505	207	521	728	1,086	777	370	2,233
Admitted during year .	2,812	480	852	4,144	37	59	96	2,849	539	852	4,240
Discharged during year .	2,726	489	787	4,002	48	69	117	2,774	558	787	4,119
Number November 30, 1913 .	965	247	435	1,647	196	511	707	1,161	758	435	2,354

Classification of discharges: deaths, 597; removals, 3,522.

Number of maternity cases, 134; living births, 131.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$1,687,866.98. Value per unit of capacity, \$722.54. Provides almshouse and hospital care for indigent persons not chargeable for support to any city or town. During the year 6,473 persons have been under care, 482 less than in 1912, and 596 less than in 1911. The largest daily census was 2,595, the smallest, 2,170; the daily average being 2,312.87. For the preceding year the corresponding figures were 2,573 and 2,074, with a daily average of 2,283.44. Normal capacity of institution, 2,336.

Of the whole number cared for, 6,191, of which 4,490 were males and 1,701 females, or 95 per cent., were treated as hospital patients. In this number were 1,081 cases of tuberculosis (926 of which were cases of phthisis), 5 of diphtheria, 1 of typhoid fever, 4 of scarlet fever, 12 of whooping cough, 15 of measles, 35 of chicken pox. Of the 597 deaths, 202 were from tuberculosis. Six hundred and sixty-one surgical operations were performed. Of the 926 cases of pulmonary tuberculosis in the consumptive ward, 824 cases were males, 102 females. Of this number, 26 were discharged as disease ar-

rested, 6 apparently cured, 263 relieved, 202 died, 130 not relieved.

Of the 134 births at this institution during the year, 68 were males and 66 were females. Of this number there were 131 living births, namely, 65 males and 66 females. Among the mothers of these children, 47 were born in the United States, 20 in Ireland, 9 in England, 28 in the British Provinces; 30 were foreign born. Eight hundred and twenty-four of the whole number under care were insane.

Of the 4,240 new admissions, 2,375, or 56 per cent., were from Boston. Those native in Massachusetts numbered 987, or 23.2 per cent. Two thousand five hundred and thirty-four were foreign born, representing 38 different countries. Eight hundred and fifty-two, or 20.9 per cent., were under twenty-one years of age.

With an appropriation of \$444,200, a total of \$444,130.56 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended, \$155,533.42 was for salaries, wages and labor; all other expenses, \$288,597.14. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$3.675. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$24,546.70. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$419,583.86. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 7. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80. The Trustees estimate that \$471,000 will be necessary for maintenance in 1914. (See table, p. 26.)

The women's special ward, nearing completion at the close of last year, is now occupied and houses 35 patients. The new building for male employees was still unoccupied at the close of the year, though authorized in 1911. It is, however, now at the point of completion, and will house 40 employees.

The pathological laboratory and the extension to the administration building are both under way, but neither improvement was ready for occupancy at the close of the year.

Perhaps the most noteworthy fact in the year's work at this institution is the rapid extension of clinical laboratory work, and the further intensive study brought to bear upon the

more trying problems in treatment. Largely among these problems has been the treatment of syphilis. As reported last year, much encouragement has been derived from the use of an arsenical preparation. This treatment was continued during the past year, showing a high percentage of cases benefited. The conclusion from the year's experience is that though cure cannot be guaranteed by the use of this agent, it is probably the most powerful agent now known for combating this destructive disease. Its use has been of further benefit to the administration by making treatment of many of these cases feasible by isolation within the general wards, thus relieving congestion in the wards specially provided.

At a later page of this report will be found an account of the work which the Board's committee on social service has carried on during the year with cases in the maternity wards. This work, an experiment at the outset, is rapidly adding proof to the axiom that an institution is never in itself, unaided, a cure for the problems of citizenship, but is at best but one link or step in a process of treatment which must involve pre-institution study and after-care.

The number of children at this institution increases in steady ratio. So great has finally become the overcrowding that the Trustees this year ask for a building to house 100 boys. The Board withholds its approval from this proposal, believing it to be an improper development of the Infirmary. Some children there must be, but so far as proper classification will allow, they should be removed to special institutions. Consequently the Board again urges the establishment of an additional school for the feeble-minded and the immediate development of existing schools to their maximum. This improvement would relieve the State Infirmary of many of the feeble-minded children. The Board also asks the establishment of a hospital for the treatment and temporary care of sick State minor wards. Such a hospital, aside from filling a great need in the Board work with children, would relieve the State Infirmary of a large number, now sent there because there is no other place for them.

Mention has been made in previous reports of the complication which arises in the functions of this already complex institution by the presence of the insane. It is a fact that these

patients perform much of the labor of the institution, aiding in keeping the per capita cost at its present low level, besides deriving from such employment considerable benefit to themselves. But it is nevertheless time that the State's classification of the insane as a distinct group should be carried out so that the State Infirmary may turn all its energy to its more legitimate purposes.

As appears from the increased estimate for maintenance, the Trustees seek to place all their employees, especially their nurses, upon a 48-hour per week basis. It is believed that higher efficiency, and consequently greater ultimate economy in administration, will be thus secured.

Including improvements above mentioned, the Trustees ask the following special appropriations, all of which, with the exception of the building for 100 boys, are approved by this Board:—

1. Hot-water circulating system	\$16,600 00
2. Mechanical handling of coal	8,000 00
3. Four-inch pipe line from pumping station	1,604 00
4. A nurses' home, accommodations for 100 nurses	69,208 46
5. A building for boys, accommodations for 100 boys	73,741 02
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	\$169,153 48

The items relating to water supply are repetitions of estimates not granted by the Legislature last year. In connection with its approval of these items, the Board believes that the request for an appropriation to extend and render more available the cold water supply, refused by the Legislature last year, should also be repeated this year. The nurses' home would greatly enhance the effectiveness of the nursing staff, by better housing for the corps. The request is the result of overcrowding in present quarters.

*The State Farm at Bridgewater.*HOLLIS M. BLACKSTONE, *Superintendent.**Numbers.*

INMATES	PAUPERS			PRISONERS			CRIMINAL INSANE	Totals
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	All Males	
Number December 1, 1912 . .	349	2	351	1,282	177	1,459	788	2,598
Admitted during year . . .	471	20	491	4,132	549	4,681	107	5,279
Discharged during year . . .	475	22	497	4,106	568	4,674	92	5,263
Number November 30, 1913 .	345	—	345	1,308	158	1,466	803	2,614

Classification of discharges: deaths, 115; removals, 5,148.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$1,724,037.13.
Value per unit of capacity, \$556.14.

Provides custodial care for persons of both sexes committed by the courts for drunkenness or vagrancy; also almshouse care for indigent persons not chargeable to any city or town; and hospital care for insane male convicts. Persons committed for drunkenness are in almost all cases chronic drunkards.

During the year, 7,877 persons have been cared for, 31 more than last year, but 316 less than in 1911. Largest daily census, 2,706; smallest, 2,488; daily average, 2,592. Normal capacity of plant, 3,100. Of the whole number under care, 6,140 were prisoners, 842 were paupers, and 895 were insane convicts. The total number of commitments was 4,681, of which 4,136, or 88.3 per cent., were for drunkenness. Of these 4,681 persons committed, 1,164, or 24.8 per cent., were returned for violation of parole; 70.2 per cent., or 3,286, of all the new commitments had served time at the State Farm before. Of all commitments, 37.2 per cent. were made from Boston. These 4,681 commitments represent 2,190 separate individuals. A comparative classification of all commitments showing data for nine years follows: —

Classification of Commitments.

CAUSE	1904	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909	1910	1911	1912	1913
Drunkenness . .	1,923	2,414	3,404	2,900	3,177	3,417	3,783	4,272	3,945	4,136
Tramping . .	77	78	113	78	144	99	107	90	67	66
Vagrancy . .	300	241	295	263	505	359	350	419	381	331
All other . .	65	56	108	93	120	124	133	180	129	148
Totals . .	2,365	2,789	3,920	3,334	3,946	3,999	4,373	4,961	4,522	4,681

The total number of persons leaving the institution during the year, whether by death, discharge, or release on parole, was 5,263. The deaths numbered 115.

Out of an appropriation of \$348,000, a total of \$347,993.53 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended, \$108,615.03 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$239,378.50. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$2.525. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$22,938.96. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$325,054.57. Ratio of daily number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 15. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

Appropriations of \$800 for recording machinery, \$4,000 for land, and \$10,000 for additional water supply were granted in 1913. Under these authorizations land has been acquired and wells driven. This work, with the necessary piping and connections, was advancing toward completion at the close of the year. The recording machinery authorized for the power plant has been installed.

Other permanent improvements under way during the year have been the prison addition, the extension of the buildings for the insane, and the remodelling of the old chapel. The first of these is completed permitting greatly improved housing and classification of inmates. Operations upon the buildings for the insane were well advanced by the close of the year, while the remodelled chapel enclosure has been finished and is now in use.

Unfavorable weather conditions have resulted in smaller crops of all the farm products, with an excess of labor in harvesting.

In other aspects this institution reports steady gain. The general health of inmates has been excellent, marred neither by epidemic nor accident. Commitments, however, appear to be on the increase, the total this year showing 4,681 as against 4,522 last year; and the proportion of those who had served time at the institution before was only slightly more, 70.2 per cent. as against 66.1 per cent. for the preceding year.

It is hoped that the constant growth of the probation system with its emphasis upon larger parental responsibility, supplemented by the development of Norfolk State Hospital for the hopeful inebriate, will tend, with increasing effectiveness, to prevent chronic drunkenness. The community which permits this traffic in its weaker temperaments for a return in money should not draw back from the application of a small portion of such gains in an attempt to save and prevent a part of the wreckage.

The Trustees make the following estimates for special purposes, all of which are approved by this Board:—

1. For additional sewage filtration beds	\$4,000 00
2. For indicating and recording instruments, to detect waste and promote operating efficiency in the central heating and power plant	2,200 00
3. For consolidating in the central plant heating for almshouse, watchmen's building and two farmhouses	7,500 00
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	\$13,700 00

Items 1 and 2 are renewals of last year's requests, which were rejected.

Norfolk State Hospital.

IRWIN H. NEFF, M.D., *Superintendent.*

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$96,995.20. Normal capacity of plant, 97. Value per unit capacity, \$999.95.

Provides care and treatment for inebriates and users of drugs in cases not deemed incurable, also detention colony for noncriminal chronics.

Though the institution has been partially occupied throughout the year, the actual transfer of all the inebriates and drug

habitues from Foxborough State Hospital has been deferred until the spring of 1914. By that time the service building and other of the necessary portions of the new plant will have been completed. Two cottages at the Oval, housing 25 patients each, have been fully occupied since August.

During the year there has been a daily average of 58.25 inebriates and drug-users in residence at Norfolk State Hospital. The corresponding average of the same class at Foxborough State Hospital has been 156.64. All of the patients at Norfolk have been occupied in developing the new plant. They have dug the trenches, cleared and excavated building sites, and reclaimed sprout land for tillage purposes. In addition, the patients at Foxborough have made the cement bricks for the buildings in the hospital group.

During this year, as well as last, the functions of the new hospital are hardly capable of consideration apart from the Foxborough institution. The system of after care for patients released on parole, which has applied during the past year to both institutions, without distinction, shows encouraging results for the four-year period just closed. During that time, as appears from the superintendent's report, 2,261 inebriates and drug habitues were released to the out-patient department after having been in the institution a sufficient length of time for classification. Such transfer to the out-patient department is effected with the patient's consent and with his promise of co-operation. Of the total number, 631, or 27 per cent., are now at work and doing well. They show themselves to have been unmistakably benefited by the hospital treatment. Six hundred and eighty-five, or 30 per cent. show no improvement; 836, or 37 per cent., were not located; 74, or 3 per cent., have died; and 35, or 1 per cent., have become insane. If the 836 cases not located were excluded from the total under consideration, the percentage of improvement would be 44. It is believed that the new institution, with its vastly greater opportunities for self-help by the patients, will greatly strengthen the foundation upon which the out-patient work is based and consequently increase its effectiveness.

At the beginning of the year some of the buildings for which appropriations were granted by the Legislature of 1912 were

still in process of construction. At the close of the year the six cottages at the Oval had been completed, and the hospital building, the two hospital cottages, and the service and industrial buildings, all at the hospital group, were nearing completion. The spur track for which \$2,000 was granted was carried as far as the service building. Connections for hot and cold water supply and for sewage have been made coincidentally with construction.

For the coming year the Trustees ask appropriations for the following special improvements, all of which are approved by the Board:—

1. Six cottages and equipment for men, each cottage accommodating 25 persons	\$51,000 00
2. Chapel and recreation building	15,000 00
3. Extension to power house and equipment	12,000 00
4. Underground piping, conduit, insulation, etc.	20,000 00
5. Outside wiring	2,900 00
6. Officers' quarters and equipment	5,700 00
7. Congregate dining room and recreation building	18,500 00
8. Cottage and equipment for women, the cottage accommodating 17 women	8,500 00
9. Barn	6,000 00
10. Extension of coal trestle and spur track	4,000 00
11. Sewer and water construction	2,500 00
12. Additional land	10,000 00
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	\$156,100 00

The six cottages would form a part of the hospital group. The chapel and recreation hall would provide a common place of meeting in this group for religious services and necessary assembly.

The power-house extension restores that unit to the dimensions originally recommended. In its present form it is inadequate. The three other improvements for the hospital group are the small house for medical officers, the barn for horses and the storing of ambulance and vehicles, and the coal trestle. The last is an extension of the spur track, contemplated at the time of the original appropriation.

THE STATE TRAINING SCHOOLS.

The Lyman School for Boys at Westborough, the Industrial School for Boys at Shirley, and the Industrial School for Girls at Lancaster are the three industrial schools provided for by the State for juvenile delinquents. They are administered by a single Board of Trustees known as the Trustees of the Massachusetts Training Schools, with offices at 274 Boylston Street, Boston.

Boys under fifteen years of age may be committed to the Lyman School, and under eighteen years of age to the school at Shirley. Girls under seventeen go to the institution at Lancaster. All persons committed remain under the control of the Trustees during minority. For greater efficiency in administration, the Lyman School cares for boys under fifteen, while those over that age go to Shirley.

The total number of persons under care in these three institutions during the year was 2,182. Of these, 1,049 were boys under fifteen, all at Lyman School, 570 were boys over fifteen, at Shirley, and 563 were girls, cared for at Lancaster.

In the three schools there were, at the beginning of the year, 867 inmates, namely, 568 boys and 299 girls. One thousand three hundred and fifteen were received during the year, and 1,258 went out either by discharge or upon parole, leaving 924 on November 30, 1913, viz., 619 boys and 305 girls.

As noted last year, the numbers in these three schools are rapidly increasing, a fact which has forced the trustees of Lyman School to ask for a new cottage. They ask for extensive construction at the Shirley School as a part of the development of that new institution.

The combined appropriations for the maintenance of the three schools totalled \$260,730. On this account, \$266,782.73 was expended, deficits of \$2,999.60 and \$3,053.34 occurring at Lyman School and at the Industrial School for Girls respectively. Subtracting all receipts from sources other than the State Treasury, the net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth was \$265,618.42. Details of administration and cost are considered under each school separately, as follows: —

LYMAN SCHOOL FOR BOYS, WESTBOROUGH.

ELMER L. COFFEEN, *Superintendent.*

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$479,996.31. Normal capacity, 383. Value per unit of capacity, \$1,253.25.

Provides custodial care and industrial training for delinquent boys under fifteen years of age. Cottage plan.

During the year 1,049 cases have been under care, representing 832 separate individuals. This total number of cases is 115 more than in 1912 and 245 more than in 1911. The number in the school at the beginning of the year was 385; admissions numbered 664; discharges, 609; remainder at the close of the year, 440. The daily average number of inmates was 408.39, exceeding last year's average by 46.7.

The list of causes of admission in the 664 cases received during the year was as follows: absconders returned, 118; assault, 1; breaking and entering, 54; delinquent child, 86; false fire alarm, 2; larceny, 60; returned or transferred from other institutions, not penal, 56; returned or transferred from other institutions, penal, 1; returned from place of parole, 235; setting fires, 1; trespassing, 1; carrying firearms, 1; manslaughter, 1; transferred by the State Board of Charity, 9; stubbornness, 34; vagrancy, 4. Two hundred and fifty-four of the foregoing cases were committed by the courts. Of this number, 131 had been arrested before and 53 had been inmates of other institutions. Fourteen per cent. were of American parentage; 48 per cent. of foreign parentage, and 10 per cent. were unknown. Thirty-one of these boys were foreign born, while 222 were born in the United States. The nativity of one was unascertained.

There has been a steady growth in numbers at the school during the past year. The average number was 408 as compared with 358 in 1912-13. The present equipment is capable of caring adequately for 360 boys, and the problems of administration are greatly increased by overcrowding. Discipline is more difficult to maintain and suffers seriously because proper classification is impaired when there is such scarcity of room.

The cottage at Berlin for the younger boys has been compelled to handle 82 boys during the year, whereas, 50 is about

the number that can be put through the course of training with reasonable success. The younger boys are placed out, as a rule, directly from Berlin, and if their stay has been long enough to insure them a proper amount of preparation for normal family life they are saved from being sent to the main school. In so far as this plan succeeds, the purpose of Berlin cottage is fulfilled, but the chance of success is greatly diminished when more boys must be cared for than can be properly handled. As the number of commitments steadily increases, the logic of the situation demands another cottage for this class.

While there is every advantage in establishing isolated cottages for the care of the very young boys, the time is ripe to consider whether the school proper has grown as large as one institution for the care of juvenile delinquents should be permitted to grow, in justice to the magnitude and importance of the problem. As the numbers increase the personal attention possible to be given to the individual by the superintendent becomes more limited, and the boy must of necessity be left more and more to the care of the subordinates. This is a great loss to the boy and defeats the purpose of the school, which succeeds or fails largely as the trained expert has the opportunity to come into intimate contact with the individual.

There have been no radical changes in policy during the year and no important additions to the academic or industrial resources. The presence of feeble-minded and defective delinquents is a continuing factor and an embarrassing problem, which can only be solved by the provision of more facilities for the care of these classes.

Despite the fact that the physical condition of the boys admitted to the school is generally very poor, the school has been in good health. There have been no epidemics and only the normal number of accidents and minor ailments.

With an appropriation of \$114,000, a total of \$116,999.60 was expended for the maintenance of this institution, creating a deficit of \$2,999.60. Of the amount expended \$47,120.73 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$69,878.87. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$5.465. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury,

\$685.94. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$116,313.66. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 4.79. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

The ice house provided last year by the Legislature has been constructed and is in service. The total expended out of appropriations for special purposes was \$981.08.

The Trustees make the following requests for appropriations for special purposes:—

1. Milk house and creamery building	\$1,800 00
2. New cottage for 30 boys and attendants, and for heating, furnishing, and equipment	22,000 00
3. Extension and repair of cow barn	1,850 00
4. New boiler, engine, electrical apparatus, and repairs for power plant	13,000 00
5. Additional equipment for printing shop and for dairy equipment	1,300 00
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	\$39,950 00

The items relating to the dairy and equipment represent much-needed improvement in the conditions under which the milk supply is produced. The request for an additional cottage arises out of pressing necessity, since the numbers at the school are now beyond the facilities for their care, and the present rapid rate of increase shows no sign of abatement. The burdens upon the heating and lighting units in the power plant have grown with the expansion of the institution until enlargement has become not only advisable but urgent for purposes of safety as well as efficiency. The request is based upon careful survey by competent engineers.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS, SHIRLEY.

GEORGE P. CAMPBELL, *Superintendent*.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$228,435.67. Normal capacity of plant, 180. Value per unit of capacity, \$1,269.08.

Provides custodial care and industrial training for boys over fifteen and under twenty-one years of age. Only boys under eighteen may be admitted.

During the year 570 cases have been cared for, representing 215 separate individuals. This total number of cases is 58 more than in the preceding year. The number in the school at the beginning of the year was 183. Admissions numbered 387; discharges, 391; remainder at the close of the year, 179. The largest daily census was 192; the smallest, 172; daily average, 182.26.

The list of causes of admission in the 387 cases received during the year was as follows: absconders returned, 54; assault, 2; breaking and entering, 29; breaking and entering and larceny, 20; cruelty to animals, 1; delinquent child, 29; disturbing the peace, 1; drunkenness, 3; failure to report while on probation, 1; forgery, 1; idle and disorderly, 7; larceny, 58; larceny and breaking glass, 1; receiving stolen goods, 1; returned after leave of absence, 13; returned from place or parole, 89; returned or transferred from institutions, penal, 20; returned or transferred from institutions, not penal, 11; ringing in false alarm of fire, 1; robbery, 2; stubborn child, 31; taking and using automobile without consent of owner, 1; vagrancy, 5; violating rules of a training school, 1; wantonly breaking glass, 1.

Two hundred of the foregoing cases were committed by the courts. Of the boys thus committed, 123 had been arrested before and 58 had been inmates of other institutions. Twenty-nine, or 14 per cent., were foreign born and 84 were unknown. Of the remaining 86 per cent., born in the United States, 149, or 74.5 per cent., were natives of Massachusetts. The average population of 182.26 exceeds the average of the preceding year by 4+.

Of the 391 boys discharged or released during the year, 84 were placed at occupations, on parole; 21 were sent to other institutions for custodial care, and 15 went to other institutions, not penal.

The year has witnessed many physical improvements in the school property, among which are the completion of one new cottage and the partial construction of another. Five hundred yards of concrete walks have been laid, and much grading about the buildings has been done, giving the school an appearance in harmony with its beautiful site. Other minor improve-

ments, such as the building of a refrigerator, the excavation of a cellar under cottage No. 2, for the purpose of installing a recreation room for use in bad weather, and relocating baths and toilet conveniences, were either finished or under way at the end of the year.

These activities served to give employment to the boys, as all the sand, stone, and gravel used in construction were found upon the school's land, and all the unskilled work was performed by them.

Three hundred feet of water and sewer pipe were laid during the year. The north barn has been remodelled to house all the cattle under one roof. The improvement makes this department more efficient and easier of administration.

The general kitchen has been wholly rearranged, with great benefit in economy and cleanliness.

Numbers have been high during the year, being constantly in excess of the capacity of the dormitories, and there were many unfilled applications from the courts when the year closed.

Most of the boys committed to Shirley are disinclined to work, this general attitude being presumably one of the chief causes that finally results in their appearance before the court. The regular habits of living imposed upon the boys at the school, the careful physical oversight provided, and the program of work, study and play, corrects this condition temporarily, at least, in most cases, and permanently in a gratifying number.

Different groups are assigned to the trades which are selected for them by the superintendent after consultation with parents and a study of the individual. Boys are put to painting, blacksmithing, carpentering, or the different branches of farming, as they seem most qualified. While it is not possible to make a finished tradesman in the time usually spent at the school, it is possible to make a boy sufficiently efficient in his particular branch to make him valuable in his trade. But if nothing more were done with these boys than to develop in them habits of industry and healthful living the school would be doing a most useful work.

The minimum age limit of admission is fifteen, and therefore all the boys are above school age; but there are among them some illiterates and many who are backward. These have

their deficiencies supplied in the schoolroom. Exercises in composition and penmanship for all the boys are parts of the educational program, and a taste for good books is encouraged in a practical way.

Recreation in the form of outdoor sports is an important factor in the system of training, and the school baseball and football teams not only are the media for healthful enjoyment, but they also provide a natural avenue of contact with the world outside the school by competitive series with teams from neighboring towns and schools.

During the year the boys gave a minstrel show and repeated it in near-by towns. The band is an important feature in entertainment and has played for the open-air concerts in the town.

While there are always infractions of the rules necessitating recourse to punishment, the spirit of graduates of the school may justly be gathered from the fact that there is an alumni association which holds an annual reunion in Boston in the winter and a field day at the school in summer. Large numbers are in attendance at each.

Out of an appropriation of \$68,230 a total of \$68,229.79 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended \$28,007.84 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$40,221.95. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance, computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$7.173. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$193.15. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$68,036.64. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 4. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

The year closed with one stone and concrete cottage for 30 boys practically completed, and another of the same type in process of construction. In addition, several minor improvements have been effected, namely, moving and remodelling a small house for a cottage tenement, building two silos and a chicken house, extending sidewalks and water-pipe connections, and the extension of sewer beds.

The Trustees ask this year for the following four items of ex-

tension and permanent improvement, all of which are approved by this Board: —

1. Central building, providing chapel, schoolrooms, central offices, fireproof vault, and assembling and exercising rooms	\$90,000 00
2. Heating and furnishing and equipping cottage for 30 boys, now being built	3,000 00
3. Two cottages for 30 boys each and attendants, and for furnishing, heating, and equipping the same . . .	49,000 00
4. Moving, relocating, and making repairs on large hay barn	1,550 00
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	\$143,550 00

Of these requests, the second supplies an omission in last year's appropriation, while the fourth seeks to eliminate a dangerous fire risk by removing an old Shaker barn now located in the centre of the institution group. The central building is a vital necessity in the housing, discipline and constructive purpose of this institution. Makeshift accommodations thus far found in the buildings of the old "settlement" are so far outgrown by the rapid increase in court commitments that proper school, chapel, and assembly provision is no longer available without a central building. The structure as planned would house the administrative officers in addition.

The two cottages asked for are planned after thorough study of requirements and methods in economical housing and efficient care, discipline, and treatment. They represent the least amount of extension in the capacity of the school necessary to meet the pressure of numbers.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, LANCASTER.

AMY F. EVERALL, *Superintendent.*

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$363,043.71. Normal capacity of plant, 312. Value per unit of capacity, \$1,163.60.

Provides custodial care and industrial training for delinquent girls under twenty-one years of age. Only girls under seventeen may be committed.

During the year 563 cases have been under care. This total

number of cases is 16 more than in 1912 and 32 more than in 1911. The number in the school at the beginning of the year was 299; admissions during the year, 264; discharged, including all persons going out of the school, 258; remaining November 30, 1913, 305. The largest daily census was 332; smallest, 288; daily average, 308.

The list of causes of admission in the 264 cases received during the year was as follows: common night walker, 2; delinquency, 2; delinquent child, 5; disorderly conduct, 1; disobedient, 2; drunkenness, assault and battery, 1; fornication, 10; idle and disorderly, 6; idle and lascivious, 1; idle, vagrant and vicious, 2; idleness, 13; larceny, 8; lewdness, 10; lewd and lascivious, 2; lewd, wanton and lascivious, 1; returned from place or parole, 75; returned from hospital, 11; returned for visit to the school, 32; runaways, 1; stubbornness, 64; stubborn and disobedient, 2; unnatural act, 1; vagrancy, 2; vicious and wanton, 1; waywardness, 2; witnessing at court, 7.

Of the 258 girls discharged or released during the year, 3 ran away; 188 were released on parole to relatives or to families for employment; 7 went to witness in court; 24 from visiting the school; 2 to temporary place; 2 to board; 19 were transferred to other institutions, not penal; 8 were sent to other institutions, penal; and 4 became of age at the school and were thereby discharged.

This school receives girls up to the age of seventeen years, who are committed by the court or transferred by the State Board of Charity as delinquents. There are an administration building, a chapel, a small hospital, a storehouse, dairy and farm buildings, and ten cottages. One of these cottages is in the town of Bolton, a mile and a half from the school, and is used as a disciplinary house for those girls who get along badly in the main school.

Twenty-nine of the 188 girls paroled last year went immediately to parents or relatives. One hundred and fifty were placed at work for wages. An examination of the records of the 119 girls who passed out of the care of the parole department of the past year shows that of 72 it could be said that their conduct was good; of 9 it was bad; and of 19 it was unknown. In 19 cases it was impossible to classify. Thus 60

per cent. are known to be turning out well, while less than one-tenth are known to have conducted themselves badly.

The proportion of girls of low mental grade has increased, although this condition promises some degree of alleviation soon through the opening of additional buildings at the Wrentham State School. This relief is only temporary, however, and the often reiterated arguments for removal of the feeble-minded from the Industrial School still remain unanswerable from the point of view of the interests of the normal as well as the feeble-minded girl.

During the year a grading system based on merit has been introduced and is proving successful. The new girl is first placed in the receiving cottage and from there transferred to the first grade. She is promoted to the honor grade if her conduct warrants it, and in this grade she is entitled to many highly valued privileges. If her conduct is not good she may be sent from the first grade to the second grade where she loses all privileges. A girl in the honor class may by misconduct also suffer transfer to the second grade. There are two monthly entertainments, one for the honor grade and one for the first and honor grades combined. These entertainments are a great aid to good conduct, as they are highly esteemed breaks in the routine.

Another innovation during the year is the rearrangement of the schedule of studies. Formerly classes were confined to the afternoon, but at present there are morning sessions as well. The class hours are from 9 A.M. to 11.45 A.M. and from 2 P.M. to 4.50 P.M., and all girls are enabled to have one daily period in the classroom and one of industrial training.

All the girls are assembled at 8.30 A.M. for short exercises in the chapel, from which they start on their program for the day.

Discipline at the school has greatly improved, as indicated by the fact that there were but two runaways for the entire year.

Many improvements have been made in the buildings and grounds and have been the means of providing healthful outdoor exercise for the girls, whose physical condition has been very good for the year.

The most important and helpful material improvement is the installation of electric lighting, displacing the oil lamps which have been for years a potential danger to life and property. A new and efficient telephone system has been completed, and Fisher cottage has been provided with a new heating system.

With an appropriation of \$78,500, a total of \$81,553.34 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended, \$35,761.10 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$45,792.24. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance, computed on expenses, less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$5.061. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$285.22. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$81,268.12. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 4.4. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

The central school building, for which an appropriation of \$40,000 was made last year, is under way and will be ready for occupancy during the current year.

The Trustees make the following requests for special appropriations, all of which, excepting the fifth, are approved by this Board:—

1. High-pressure water system connecting with town water supply for fire protection	\$5,340 00
2. Survey of school grounds, showing exact location of all buildings, underground water and sewer pipes and underground wires and conduits, and for outline plan of entire premises establishing boundaries	500 00
3. Completing sidewalks	800 00
4. Piggery building	1,700 00
5. Finishing off a part of second story and for building an outside open-air sun and sleeping porch upon infirmary building	1,950 00
6. Unit of central steam-heating system and for connection with infirmary, school building and chapel, and for steam-heating system in infirmary, and for completing steam-heating system in chapel, and removing two furnaces from the infirmary and installing them in other buildings to replace worn-out furnaces . . .	11,500 00
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	\$21,790 00

The first three items represent good economies. The first would provide fire protection which is not now adequately supplied. High pressure is ready at hand; the appropriation would merely provide necessary connections. The survey of grounds is an essential at all institutions. The completion of sidewalks represents the end of an improvement that has been in progress for some time.

The institution stands in great need of a central heating plant. The request would provide the first unit of such a system.

The item for finishing off a part of the second story of the infirmary and for the construction of a small addition thereto is disapproved by this Board, on the ground that "in the opinion of this Board it is inadvisable to finish off the attic of this building for the care of infirmary patients, and inexpedient to impair the capacity of the existing infirmary to the extent that must be done in building stairways to meet the new improvement."

MASSACHUSETTS HOSPITAL SCHOOL.

JOHN E. FISH, M.D., *Superintendent.*

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$316,072.13. Normal capacity of plant, 270. Value per unit of capacity, \$1,170.64.

Provides care and schooling for crippled and deformed children.

During the year 295 cases, representing the same number of separate children, have been under care. This total is 25 more than in 1912, and 32 more than in 1911.

On December 1, 1912, there were 238 children in the school. Fifty-seven new cases were admitted and 45 discharged during the year. The maximum number at any one time was 257, the minimum, 202, and the daily average, 235.83, an increase of 7.27 over the preceding year. The average age at time of admittance was seven years and eleven months.

All of the children admitted were certified by physicians as being physically unsuitable for instruction in the public schools. Twenty-six of these were cases of bone tuberculosis, 17 of various forms of paralysis, 14 of rickets, malnutrition, and deformities.

The new admissions have been of a higher mental grade and more amenable to orthopædic treatment than the average of those formerly admitted. This condition is probably due to better classification of applications and more knowledge and confidence on the part of the public in the school. At the outset it was necessary to admit a number of children from almshouses and other institutions, a large proportion of whom proved to be mentally deficient. It is interesting to note, also, that as the institution grows the number of girls among the new admissions increases, which is another indication of the growth of public confidence in the school.

Twenty-four out of the 45 discharges during the year had been brought to a condition where they were capable of self-support or could be classed with normal children. Nine of the discharges were feeble-minded and unable to take advantage of the opportunities offered by the school. Seven were released reluctantly, due to insistent pressure on the part of parents. In one case a hopelessly paralyzed boy was discharged after he had been taught to read, enabling him to enjoy practically the only pleasure of which he was capable. There were two deaths during the year.

Those discharged capable of self-support were competent to take up the following occupations: clerical and telephone operator, 1 boy; steam laundry assistants, 2 boys; cook and domestic work, 2 girls; messenger, 1 boy; carpentry and woodworking machines, 1 boy; cobbling and leather work, 1 boy; farming and gardening, 2 boys. Five of this number were graduated from the grades and received the school diploma. The others recovered before finishing the school course, or were beyond compulsory school age, and were better adapted for suitable employment than for further academic instruction.

During the year another schoolroom has been opened and an additional teacher employed. The average time for instruction in the school remains the same, one and one-half hours daily. All the school work is done in the open air, the windows in the two inside rooms being kept constantly open except when the weather forbids, and the outdoor rooms are in service during the entire year.

The assembly hall has added greatly to the comfort, entertainment, and education of the children since its opening, and has been the scene of many enjoyable gatherings in addition to its use as a chapel for various religious exercises. The children have given a number of plays, a minstrel show, and musical entertainments, while the brass band has given a number of concerts. There is also among the girls a guitar and mandolin club formed during the year, which promises additional enjoyment and instruction to the girls. The library which is connected with the assembly hall is open daily, and is very generally used under the supervision of one or another of the teaching staff. Plans are now being made to co-ordinate the use of the library with the school work.

Recreation in the open is one of the great factors in the up-building of the health of these children; this feature has been further emphasized during the year.

The close of this year shows the practical completion of the school as contemplated by the act of establishment passed in 1904. The girls' cottage now under construction will provide accommodations for 30, meeting the requirements of the act. The original appropriation was \$300,000, and it is expected that provision for 300 children will be made within the appropriation. The school has developed slowly because of its experimental nature, and every new step while carefully thought out, was tentative, the purpose in the Trustees' minds being to build up an institution that would develop health, self-reliance and capacity for some degree, at least, of self-support in the children, and not have it become a mere repository for the crippled and physically handicapped. As the years go on this purpose appears to be measurably accomplished, and the numbers who go out from the school able to take part in the ordinary activities of life gradually increase.

Out of an appropriation of \$73,614, a total of \$68,807.94 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended, \$30,283.37 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$38,524.57. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$5.583. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$39,720.42. Net cost of maintenance

to the Commonwealth, \$29,087.52. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 3.3. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

The Trustees ask this year for \$2,700 for the purchase of cows and dairy equipment. The new cow barn is now ready for occupancy. The request is approved by the Board.

THE STATE TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIA.

The Board's supervision of tuberculosis hospitals covers the Rutland, Lakeville, North Reading and Westfield State sanatoria, and the tuberculosis wards at the State Infirmary. The four separate institutions are administered by one Board of Trustees, the Trustees of Hospitals for Consumptives.

During the year these four institutions treated 2,287 cases, with a combined normal capacity of 951 patients, and a daily average population of 904.01.

Of the total number cared for, 872 were in residence at the beginning of the year. The 1,415 admissions during the year were offset by the 1,351 discharges, leaving 936 on November 30, 1913.

Of the 1,415 cases admitted, 232 were classed as incipient; 482 as moderately advanced; 676 as advanced; 8 as non-tubercular; and 17 as undetermined. Seven hundred and sixty-three were males; 652 females.

The discharges were classified as follows: disease arrested, 356; condition improved, 402; condition not improved, 221; non-tubercular, 8; died, 236; unclassified because of shortness of stay, 128. Thus 758, or 56.1 per cent., of all the discharged cases that were considered were sent away either with the disease apparently arrested or with condition improved. The corresponding percentage for last year was 63.3.

Assembling the children at Westfield has progressed rapidly. The new children's ward with accommodations for 60 patients has been completed and is now occupied.

The after-care and following up of discharged patients inaugurated a year ago has been carried on with increasing vigor during the year just closed. This work forms an essential part of the educational purpose of the sanatorium.

Separate report is not made upon the tuberculosis department of the State Infirmary. It is considered under the general heading of the State Infirmary, at p. 30 *ante*. The four separate sanatoria follow:—

RUTLAND STATE SANATORIUM, RUTLAND.

ELLIOTT WASHBURN, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$366,710.03. Normal capacity of plant, 354. Value per unit of capacity, \$1,600.87.

Provides hospital care and treatment for persons afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis.

During the year 794 cases have been under care, representing the same number of separate individuals. This total is 74 less than in 1912 and 87 less than in 1911. Of the whole number, 345 were in residence at the beginning of the year. The remaining 449 were admitted under the following classification, based upon the ascertained progress of the disease: incipient, 161, or 35.86 per cent.; moderately advanced, 212, or 47.22 per cent.; advanced, 63, or 14.03 per cent.; found to be non-tubercular, 6; not determined, 7. Of the new cases, males numbered 225; females, 224.

The discharges numbered 438, namely, 223 males and 215 females, classified according to conditions as follows: disease arrested, 161, or 36.7 per cent.; improved, 145, or 33.1 per cent.; not improved 58, or 13.2 per cent.; non-tubercular, 5; died, 36, or 8.2 per cent.; unclassified because of shortness of stay, 33, or 7.5 per cent.

The average daily census was 348. The average for 1912 was 346. Average duration of stay of patients, two hundred and fifty-four days. The corresponding average for 1912 was two hundred and twenty-seven days.

With an appropriation of \$183,000, a total of \$188,076.55 was expended for the maintenance of this institution, creating a deficit of \$5,076.55. Of the amount expended, \$67,116.08 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$120,960.47. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$10.125. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury,

\$41,667.03. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$146,409.52. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 1.73. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

On September 29 Dr. Bartlett, superintendent since June, 1910, resigned, and was succeeded by Elliott Washburn, M.D.

On March 17 fire broke out in the engine room, probably caused by defective insulation, and damaged the electrical machinery and the interior of the engine room to the extent of \$5,000. Fortunately, the plant was not crippled beyond temporary repair, so that the patients suffered no hardship.

An improvement of importance during the year has been the completion of the new horse barn. The total expended out of appropriations for special purposes was \$9,457.05. The Trustees this year ask for appropriations for special purposes as follows:—

1. Watchman's electric clock system	\$480 00
2. Removing old barn	600 00
3. New poultry houses	1,000 00
4. Water supply	35,000 00
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	\$37,080 00

Items 1 and 2 are important for the safety of the patients, the first by insuring protection while the institution sleeps, the second by removing a fire risk. The third item represents normal expansion of the poultry farm. The last results from study by the Trustees and this Board of the advisability of an independent water supply, and arises out of conditions of financing the present supply, which are increasingly unfavorable to the Commonwealth.

NORTH READING STATE SANATORIUM, NORTH READING.

CARL C. MACCORISON, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$156,202.52. Normal capacity of plant, 174. Value for unit of capacity, \$897.71.

Provides hospital care and treatment for persons afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis.

During the year 501 cases have been under care. Of this number, 178 were in residence at the beginning of the year. The remaining 323 were admitted under the following classification, based upon the ascertained progress of the disease: incipient, 14, or 4.33 per cent.; moderately advanced, 62, or 19.20 per cent.; advanced, 247, or 76.47 per cent. Sex of patients admitted: males, 178; females, 145.

The discharges numbered 320, namely, 176 males and 144 females, classified according to condition as follows: disease arrested, 84, or 26.2 per cent.; improved, 79, or 24.6 per cent.; not improved, 44, or 13.7 per cent.; non-tubercular, 1; died, 77, or 24 per cent.; unclassified because of shortness of stay, 35, or 10.9 per cent. Number of patients at the end of the year, 181.

The largest daily census was 184, the smallest 171; average, 178.56. The average for 1912 was 173.12, and for 1911, 157. Average duration of stay of patients, two hundred and three days. The corresponding average for 1912 was one hundred and seventy-one, and for 1911, one hundred and sixty-seven.

Out of an appropriation of \$82,865 a total of \$82,457.55 was expended for the maintenance of this institution. Of the amount expended, \$33,421.43 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$49,036.12. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$8.80. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$21,918.14. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$60,539.41. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 2.5. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80. The Trustees estimate the sum of \$88,591.28 for maintenance in 1914 (see table at p. 26).

A new pavilion and the extension to the dining-room ell of the administration building, the two large improvements granted by the Legislature of 1913, were near completion at the close of the year, but neither was ready for occupancy. Minor improvements have consisted in the betterment of walks and roads, the clearing of land, and the completion of better facilities for storing coal and other supplies. The total expended from appropriations for special purposes was \$7,818.97. For the coming year the Trustees submit the following estimates for special purposes, all of which have been approved by the Board: —

1. Addition to the administration building to accommodate fireproof vault, refrigerator, and garbage room . . .	\$5,115 00
2. Erection of a small outbuilding	800 00
3. Erection of a covered bin for anthracite coal	500 00
4. Erection of a new 25,000 gallon cypress tank with 100 feet steel tower	2,584 00
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	\$8,999 00

The first item would provide facilities for compliance with the law requiring that public records be kept in fireproof vaults. Items 2 and 3 would supply small but much-needed adjuncts to the institution plant. The last item would reduce a menacing fire risk.

LAKEVILLE STATE SANATORIUM, LAKEVILLE.

SUMNER COOLIDGE, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$160,150.80. Normal capacity of plant, 240. Value per unit of capacity, \$667.29.

Provides hospital care and treatment for persons afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis. During the year 549 cases have been under care, representing 549 separate individuals. This total number of cases is 51 more than in 1912 and 36 more than in 1911. Of the whole number, 179 were in residence at the beginning of the year. The remaining 370 cases were admitted under the following classification, based upon the ascertained progress of the disease: incipient, 16, or 4 per cent.; moderately advanced, 149, or 40 per cent.; advanced, 195, or 53 per cent.; not determined, 10. Males numbered 223; females, 147.

The discharged cases numbered 335, namely, 190 males and 145 females, classified according to condition as follows: disease arrested, 33, or 10 per cent.; improved, 127, or 38 per cent.; not improved, 61, or 18 per cent.; died, 72, or 21 per cent.; unclassified because of shortness of stay, 42, or 13 per cent.

Daily average number of patients was 194.85. The average for 1912 was 172.12. Average duration of stay of patients, one hundred and eighty-eight days. The corresponding average for 1912 was one hundred and fifty-nine days.

With an appropriation of \$87,300, a total of \$89,100 was expended for the maintenance of this institution, creating a

deficit of \$1,800. Of the amount expended, \$37,154.35 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$51,945.65. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$8.558. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$17,758.80. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$71,341.20. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 2.6. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

Two major improvements — a pavilion for 30 patients and additions to the men's and women's wards — were granted by the Legislature of 1913, the funds for which became available late in the spring. Work was begun simultaneously, and both are expected to be ready for occupancy by January 1, 1914. A shack to accommodate 12 patients was also built during the year. The funds for this improvement were taken from the maintenance appropriation.

Future improvements now needed are set out by the Trustees in the following estimates which are approved by this Board: —

1. Land and equipment for dairy: —

Land, 113 acres; with two-tenement house and two barns, including land for ele- vated spur track		\$7,000 00
Fifty cows		5,000 00
Cow barn		2,000 00
Remodelling and repairing barns		1,300 00
Silos and milk-room equipment		700 00
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		\$16,000 00

2. Additions to administration building: —

Bakery	\$2,000 00
Oven and other equipment	500 00
Addition to refrigerator for milk and but- ter, and porch for nurses	1,000 00
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	3,500 00

3. Screens for new buildings	600 00
4. Coal trestle	2,500 00
5. Granolithic walk from street to woman's ward	600 00
6. Rendering and canning house	300 00
7. Wagon shed with paint shop	600 00
8. Sewage disposal	1,000 00
9. Wagon scales, 15-ton	500 00
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	\$25,600 00

The request for an independent milk supply is repeated from last year. The advisability of independence and the economy of institution supply are readily apparent.

Additions to the administration building and the coal trestle, and additional sewage disposal, would increase facilities to meet a growth in the institution that is already overtaking the present plant.

WESTFIELD STATE SANATORIUM, WESTFIELD.

HENRY D. CHADWICK, M.D., *Superintendent.*

Total valuation of plant, real and personal, \$166,439. Normal capacity of plant, 183. Value per unit of capacity, \$909.50.

Provides hospital care and treatment for persons afflicted with pulmonary tuberculosis.

During the year 443 cases have been under care, representing the same number of separate individuals. This total is 31 less than in 1912 and 37 less than in 1911. Of the whole number, 170 were in residence at the beginning of the year. The remaining 273 cases were admitted under the following classification, based upon the ascertained progress of the disease: incipient, 41, or 15 per cent.; moderately advanced, 59, or 21.6 per cent.; advanced, 171, or 62.6 per cent.; found to be non-tubercular, 2. Of the new cases, males numbered 137; females, 136.

The discharged cases numbered 258, namely, 127 males and 131 females, classified according to condition as follows: disease arrested, 78, or 30.2 per cent.; improved, 51, or 19.7 per cent.; not improved, 58, or 22.4 per cent.; non-tubercular, 2; died, 51; or 19.7 per cent.; unclassified because of shortness of stay, 18, or 6.9 per cent.

The daily average number of patients was 182.6. The average for 1912 was 176.03. Average duration of stay of patients, two hundred and twenty-nine days. The corresponding average for 1912 was one hundred and eighty-five days.

With an appropriation of \$88,500, a total of \$94,996.91 was expended for the maintenance of this institution, creating a deficit of \$6,496.91. Of the amount expended, \$38,257.21 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$56,739.70. Weekly per capita cost of maintenance computed on

expenses less sales and refunds from maintenance, \$9,826. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$26,238.93. Net cost of maintenance to the Commonwealth, \$68,757.98. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 2.4. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

The Trustees estimate the sum of \$127,000 for maintenance in 1914 (see table at p. 26).

The most important improvement of the year has been the new power plant and laundry building. By the completion of this building the efficiency of the plant is greatly increased, and a dangerous fire hazard, arising from the old location of the power plant under the main building, has been eliminated.

The Legislature of last year granted an appropriation for a children's ward, but work was not begun until September. At the close of the year construction had advanced rapidly, and the building, which is to house 60 children, is expected to be ready for occupancy by February 1, 1914.

This Board approves estimates of the Trustees for special improvements in 1914, as follows:—

1. Coal trestle, — concrete floor and retaining wall . . .	\$3,926 43
2. Grading, concrete walks and street lighting . . .	2,500 00
3. Fireproof vault	1,500 00
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	\$7,926 43

These items, though minor in importance, are necessary to the proper maintenance of the institution. The fireproof vault is sought in compliance with existing statutes.

1913
PENIKES HOSPITAL, PENIKES ISLAND.

FRANK H. PARKER, M.D., *Superintendent.*

This institution is administered directly by the Board. Total valuation of plant, \$109,465.48. Normal capacity, 19. Value per unit of capacity, \$5,761.34.

Provides hospital care and treatment for persons afflicted with leprosy. During the year 17 patients have been under care. This total is the same as last year and 4 more than in

1911. Of the number cared for, 15 were in residence at the beginning of the year, 2 were admitted and 2 were discharged, leaving 15 patients on November 30, 1913. Of the cases discharged, 1 died and 1 was released under the authority of chapter 73, Acts of 1913 (see p. 14, *ante*), as no longer a menace to the public health. The two cases admitted were males, both suffering from the tubercular form of the disease. One case, suffering from the anæsthetic form, was released after examination and before admission to the hospital.

Of the patients remaining in the hospital at the close of this year, 11 were suffering from the disease in the tubercular form, 2 in the anæsthetic and 2 in the mixed forms. Seven are known to have had other communicable diseases before coming to the hospital. Of this number 5 had had smallpox. The average age of the patients was thirty-eight years; 10 were married; 4 of the total were females. All of the patients, with one exception, were of foreign race and nationality; the exception had English blood, but was foreign born. Four patients gave their birthplaces as the United States, all being Chinese. The races represented are as follows: Italian, 1; Portuguese, 4; Chinese, 4; Russian, 3; Lettish, 1; Japanese, 1; English (British West Indies), 1.

Continuing the policy of placing this institution on a hospital basis, instead of an isolation colony, the Board has been striving this year to provide every patient with expert medical service and the attendance of a hospital nurse at all times for this purpose. Two nurses have now been added to the staff. The additional service has increased the confidence of the patient and lightened the heavy burden of care. At the same time it has made it possible for the resident physician to devote more time to an intensive study of each case.

The year's experiment with the plan of keeping the hospital in close relationship with institutions engaged in scientific research has exceeded expectations. The studies carried on at this hospital are likely in the near future to add much to the world's knowledge of a disease which for ages has menaced the human race.

With this experiment at Penikese in mind the Board is all the more convinced that every State institution for the care and

treatment of sick or defective persons should be made a station for intensive scientific research. Many institutions of learning stand ready to furnish talent of a high order whenever the State will make clear that it welcomes research.

Several improvements have been made during the year, resulting in better methods of caring for patients. The new administration building, which replaces a building burned in January, 1912, houses the administrative force much more safely and comfortably than did the old wooden structure. Repairs have been made on the barn and sheds, so that these buildings are now staunch enough to withstand the high winter winds. Quarters for the nurses have been fitted up in the old hospital building, in such manner that necessary contact with patients is lessened and the danger of infection accordingly somewhat reduced. The conditions under which the administrative staff must work are, however, still far from satisfactory. Facilities must be had for carrying on cleansing and treatment under a centralized system before the staff can be safeguarded properly. Such centralization is sought in the Board's request for a dispensary and hospital building, referred to in a later paragraph.

The small laboratory in the administration building fitted up early in the year affords excellent facilities for preliminary tests and experiments, which are later supplemented by further study in the laboratories of the Harvard Medical School.

One constant source of danger from fire has been greatly reduced by the installation of electric lights. This improvement eliminates the oil lamp which was a source of double danger in the benumbed and bandaged fingers of patients. This small power unit also furnishes refrigeration and artificial ice, — two necessities in this isolated location. It is now possible to keep perishable stores for a sufficient length of time to make buying in larger quantities expedient. The making of ice reduces a heavy expenditure for purchase and transportation to a moderate outlay for power and labor.

Last year the Board asked an appropriation for a shoal-draft service boat, and in previous years has requested funds for the dredging of a channel from the wharf to deep water. Both

items primarily involve a question of economy, though the process of going ashore in a skiff in rough weather is also hazardous and subject to accidents that would be far less likely to happen with a proper landing. During the past two years eelgrass has increased about the present wharf to such an extent that a catboat cannot be driven through it by engine power at low tide. This growth threatens to close the approach completely for power-driven boats. The only remedy appears to be the dredging of a short channel as recommended.

More urgent than these improvements, however, is the need of a dispensary and hospital building which will centralize cleansing and treatment in one place under proper hospital conditions. Experience in the administration of Penikese Hospital fully demonstrates the need of specially adapted facilities for the care and treatment of lepers. It is essential that the enforcement of cleanliness with regularity of treatment be brought about without unduly exposing the staff of officers whose duty it is to bathe these patients, treat them and bind up their wounds. The Board therefore asks for a one-story structure containing bathing facilities, dispensary and space for X-ray apparatus, with adjoining wings for bed cases. The outside estimate for this building, equipped and furnished, is \$40,000.

With an appropriation of \$22,650, a total of \$23,390.83 was expended for the maintenance of this institution, creating a deficit of \$740.83. Of the amount expended, \$9,329.62 was for salaries, wages, and labor; all other expenses, \$14,061.21. Total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury, \$87.03. Ratio of daily average number of persons employed to daily average number of inmates, 1 to 4.7. For detailed analysis of receipts and expenditures, see pp. 69-80.

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION OF INSTITUTIONS.

The Board in its supervision of the financial administration of the several State charitable institutions — the plant and its upkeep and maintenance — inspects each institution through paid officers at least once each month and through its own committees and individual members at frequent intervals.

Monthly analysis is made of all articles of food, coal, hay, and grain purchased, and tabulated results sent to each institution. In addition, sundry tables covering the year's operations have been prepared.

The following tables are designed to show in detail the financial condition of each institution. A convenient summary of the State's property represented by each institution is followed by an analysis of receipts and a similar analysis of expenditures. Finally a detailed analysis of expenditures is followed by a comparison of all appropriations and the expenditures made therefrom.

I. INVENTORY.

Inventory of State property represented by the institutions is shown in Table IV. This tabulation is in four parts. Parts I. and II. exhibit realty; Part III. shows personalty; Part IV. summarizes the whole.

From Parts I. and II. it appears that on November 30, 1913, the twelve State Charitable Institutions returned \$4,977,895.75 in real estate, \$304,613.78 of this amount being land, and \$4,673,281.97 representing buildings. Chattels real and other items of betterment are not separately considered; hence water, telephone, fire, and sewerage systems are to be found in the miscellaneous columns under the head of "buildings."

Part III. shows the uniform analysis of personal property adopted by the State Auditor, to the amount of \$1,077,519.21. The total valuation, real and personal, as shown in Part IV., is \$6,055,414.96.

TABLE IV. PART I. — *Inventory of the State Charitable Institutions, November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	REAL ESTATE									
	LAND									
	WOODLAND		MOWING		TILLAGE		PASTURE		WASTE, ETC.	
	Acres	Value	Acres	Value	Acres	Value	Acres	Value	Acres	Value
State Infirmary	147	\$17,250 00	72	\$7,200 00	91	\$9,475 00	277	\$16,620 00	38	\$950 00
State Farm	60	6,000 00	300	30,000 00	333	33,300 00	172	4,300 00	320	3,530 00
Norfolk State Hospital	3	97 50	118	3,835 00	58	1,885 00	208½	6,776 25	378¾	12,309 37
Lyman School for Boys	38	11,142 12	53	6,253 44	96	8,668 51	154	3,496 83	19	644 00
Industrial School for Boys	10	750 00	120	5,400 00	150	4,500 00	140	2,800 00	260	2,600 00
Industrial School for Girls	52	3,380 00	40	2,600 00	64	4,160 00	30	1,200 00	75	1,995 00
Massachusetts Hospital School	10	2,894 26	8	2,000 00	12	3,000 00	—	—	—	—
Rutland State Sanatorium	12	6,000 00	97	8,910 00	39	3,300 00	108	2,376 00	21	2,100 00
North Reading State Sanatorium	10	481 70	11	529 87	12	578 04	—	—	40	1,926 80
Lakeville State Sanatorium	65¾	5,486 45	—	—	10	563 30	—	—	—	—
Westfield State Sanatorium	30	4,095 00	27	2,025 00	23½	1,762 50	5	50 00	52½	307 50
Penikese Hospital	5¾	115 00	10	200 00	5½	110 00	78¾	1,575 00	—	—
Totals	443½	\$57,692 03	856	\$68,953 31	894	\$71,302 35	1,173¼	\$39,194 08	1,204¼	\$26,362 67
									5,458¾	\$304,613 78

TABLE IV. PART II. — *Inventory of the State Charitable Institutions* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	REAL ESTATE — <i>Con.</i>						
	BUILDINGS.						
	Inmates	Administra- tion and Employees	Farm, Stable, and Grounds	Heat, Light, and Power	Miscellaneous	Total	Grand Total, Land and Buildings
State Infirmary	\$844,715 96	\$164,566 94	\$42,700 00	\$32,700 00	\$285,465 00	\$1,370,147 90	\$1,436,342 90
State Farm	985,000 00	47,500 00	67,000 00	23,500 00	135,800 00	1,258,800 00	1,337,000 00
Norfolk State Hospital	36,475 00	1,200 00	1,749 30	260 58	671 80	40,356 68	73,051 68
Lyman School for Boys	183,600 00	71,300 00	26,280 00	17,360 00	44,931 00	353,471 00	384,513 11
Industrial School for Boys	70,774 00	55,200 00	25,389 00	200 00	13,693 39	165,256 39	185,506 39
Industrial School for Girls	204,169 00	47,500 00	19,075 00	—	23,724 23	294,408 23	309,143 23
Massachusetts Hospital School	110,429 06	75,101 77	12,485 75	13,380 38	47,188 65	258,585 61	271,479 87
Rutland State Sanatorium	394,181 00	13,450 00	20,620 00	38,000 00	21,000 00	487,851 00	513,353 00
North Reading State Sanatorium	41,278 94	31,765 17	8,582 75	12,398 42	18,078 78	112,104 06	116,824 72
Lakeville State Sanatorium	43,250 00	40,100 00	12,160 00	3,975 00	20,125 00	119,610 00	125,659 75
Westfield State Sanatorium	35,609 00	45,068 36	11,275 00	14,300 00	15,028 16	121,280 52	131,520 52
Penikese Hospital	33,400 00	25,400 00	2,005 00	600 00	30,005 58	91,410 58	93,410 58
Totals	\$2,992,821 96	\$618,152 24	\$249,321 80	\$156,674 38	\$656,311 59	\$4,673,281 97	\$4,977,895 75

TABLE IV. PART III. — *Inventory of the State Charitable Institutions* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	PERSONAL PROPERTY									
	Food	Clothing and Clothing Material	Furnishings	HEAT, LIGHT, AND POWER			Repairs and Improvements	Farm, Stable, and Grounds	Miscellaneous	Total
				Coal	Miscellaneous	Total				
State Infirmary	\$9,785 58	\$15,913 05	\$112,430 33	\$21,712 96	\$7 08	\$21,720 04	\$18,882 72	\$41,686 74	\$31,105 62	\$251,524 08
State Farm	33,477 35	51,038 81	121,360 33	21,628 60	624 99	22,253 59	49,105 85	90,452 54	19,258 66	386,947 13
Norfolk State Hospital . .	1,429 96	441 91	8,352 74	768 60	3 00	771 60	3,603 17	8,722 31	621 83	23,943 52
Lyman School for Boys . .	4,274 78	12,320 76	33,682 87	183 18	14 20	197 38	17,386 24	15,215 93	12,405 24	95,483 20
Industrial School for Boys . .	4,321 90	4,133 70	12,758 09	24 50	8 10	32 60	4,023 49	15,735 40	1,924 10	42,929 23
Industrial School for Girls . .	2,475 71	8,182 15	22,897 11	3,714 77	95 11	3,809 88	367 62	13,597 16	2,570 85	53,900 48
Massachusetts Hospital School .	2,693 17	1,368 72	22,941 27	1,614 00	-	1,614 00	3,843 40	6,658 26	5,473 44	44,592 26
Rutland State Sanatorium . .	2,774 04	316 77	25,372 36	6,007 13	19 05	6,026 18	877 99	13,872 47	4,117 22	53,357 03
North Reading State Sanatorium	2,766 52	224 17	19,048 30	3,511 00	38 23	3,549 23	1,976 81	6,315 05	5,497 72	39,377 80
Lakeville State Sanatorium .	1,952 81	171 14	18,632 84	290 20	25 46	315 66	1,525 13	8,315 10	3,578 37	34,491 05
Westfield State Sanatorium .	644 18	125 80	16,581 26	547 30	20 50	567 80	2,521 38	10,908 09	3,569 97	34,918 48
Penikese Hospital	457 31	265 49	5,954 04	114 75	91 26	206 01	3,426 70	2,269 33	3,476 02	16,054 90
Totals	\$67,053 31	\$94,502 47	\$420,011 54	\$60,116 99	\$946 98	\$61,063 97	\$107,540 50	\$233,748 38	\$93,599 04	\$1,077,519 21

TABLE IV. PART IV. — *Inventory of the State Charitable Institutions —*
Concluded.

INSTITUTIONS	SUMMARY			Total Inventory
	REAL AND PERSONAL PROPERTY			
	Real Estate	Personal Estate	Total Real and Personal Estate	
State Infirmary	\$1,436,342 90	\$251,524 08	\$1,687,866 98	\$1,687,866 98
State Farm	1,337,090 00	386,947 13	1,724,037 13	1,724,037 13
Norfolk State Hospital	73,051 68	23,943 52	96,995 20	96,995 20
Lyman School for Boys	384,513 11	95,483 20	479,996 31	479,996 31
Industrial School for Boys	185,506 39	42,929 28	228,435 67	228,435 67
Industrial School for Girls	309,143 23	53,900 48	363,043 71	363,043 71
Massachusetts Hospital School	271,479 87	44,592 26	316,072 13	316,072 13
Rutland State Sanatorium	513,353 00	53,357 03	566,710 03	566,710 03
North Reading State Sanatorium	116,824 72	39,377 80	156,202 52	156,202 52
Lakeville State Sanatorium	125,659 75	34,491 05	160,150 80	160,150 80
Westfield State Sanatorium	131,520 52	34,918 48	166,439 00	166,439 00
Penikese Hospital	93,410 58	16,054 90	109,465 48	109,465 48
Totals	\$4,977,895 75	\$1,077,519 21	\$6,055,414 96	\$6,055,414 96

II. RECEIPTS.

Table V. is designed to show every item of income to each institution from whatever source for whatever purpose, excepting certain private funds, casting all together for ready comparison. The tabulation also shows such of the receipts as under the law are available for maintenance purposes in 1914. According to this table the total receipts from all sources were \$2,246,746.74. Of this amount, \$2,050,347.09 was received from the State treasury, and the remainder, \$196,399.65, came in on account of the institution, through board of patients, sale of products, or otherwise. Of this latter figure, \$147,662.65 is available for maintenance purposes in 1914.

TABLE V. — *Receipts of State Charitable Institutions during the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	FROM THE INSTITUTIONS				FROM THE TREASURY						Amount of Receipts Available for Maintenance, 1914	
	Board of Inmates	Sales from Clothing and Farm	Miscellaneous	Sales Account Industries and Fund	Total	On Account Maintenance	For Special Purposes	For Office, Travel, and Probation	For Industries Fund	Total		Total Receipts
State Infirmary	\$22,897 39	\$871 32	\$777 99	-	\$24,546 70	\$444,130 56	\$29,934 71	-	-	\$474,065 27	\$498,611 97	-
State Farm	2,523 17	6,720 06	2,538 92	\$11,156 81	22,938 96	347,993 53	23,886 60	-	\$8,799 91	380,680 04	403,619 00	-
Norfolk State Hospital	42 00	222 50	94 83	-	359 33	29,500 00	86,946 26	-	-	116,446 26	116,805 59	\$359 33
Lyman School for Boys	-	609 70	76 24	-	685 94	116,999 60	981 08	-	1,414 88	119,395 56	120,081 50	-
Industrial School for Boys	40 00	53 10	100 05	-	193 15	68,229 79	31,026 93	-	-	99,256 72	99,449 87	-
Industrial School for Girls	-	267 08	18 14	-	285 22	81,553 34	11,971 15	-	77 80	93,602 29	93,887 51	-
Massachusetts Hospital School	39,255 06	148 42	316 94	-	39,720 42	68,807 94	23,934 80	-	-	92,742 74	132,463 16	39,720 42
Rutland State Sanatorium	36,997 00	4,341 37	328 66	-	41,667 03	188,076 55	9,457 05	-	-	197,533 60	239,200 63	41,667 03
North Reading State Sanatorium.	21,286 78	479 07	152 29	-	21,918 14	82,457 55	7,818 97	-	-	90,276 52	112,194 66	21,918 14
Lakeville State Sanatorium	15,481 53	2,140 37	136 90	-	17,758 80	89,100 00	13,044 03	-	-	102,144 03	119,902 83	17,758 80
Westfield State Sanatorium	24,475 75	1,435 37	327 81	-	26,238 93	94,996 91	25,982 53	-	-	120,979 44	147,218 37	26,238 93
Penikese Hospital	-	87 03	-	-	87 03	23,390 83	10,463 50	-	-	33,854 33	33,941 36	-
Trustees, Massachusetts Training Schools,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$54,598 29	-	54,598 29	54,598 29	-
Trustees, Massachusetts Hospitals for Consumptives,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74,772 00 ²	-	74,772 00	74,772 00	-
Totals	\$162,998 68	\$17,375 39	\$4,868 77	\$11,156 81	\$196,399 65	\$1,635,236 60	\$275,447 61	\$129,370 29	\$10,292 59	\$2,050,347 09	\$2,246,746 74	\$147,662 65

¹ Trust fund.² Includes \$1,343.36 for oversight of discharged patients, also \$64,922.14 for subsidies to cities and towns for tuberculosis hospitals.

III. EXPENDITURES.

Table VI., divided into four parts, shows all expenditures of whatever nature on account of the several institutions. Part I. deals with maintenance only. Part II. exhibits outlays for special purposes, divided into four headings, namely, "land," "buildings," "furnishings and equipment," and "miscellaneous." In Part III. are shown all moneys expended for purposes so far apart from the institution proper as to fall outside the uniform classifications. With two exceptions, Trustees' expenses appear in the miscellaneous column under "maintenance." These two exceptions are expenses for the Trustees of the Training Schools and of the Trustees in charge of the State sanatoria. Because of various duties these two Boards of Trustees have appropriations apart from the grants for their institutions. Part III., in addition to these special outlays, shows also the industries fund administered by the Trustees in charge of the State Farm. This fund is self-perpetuating, and, though a State outlay, is so far separate as to require individual treatment in the classification. Part IV. summarizes the whole.

The table shows that \$1,635,236.60 was spent for maintenance exclusive of expenditures for special purposes mentioned in Part II., which amounted to \$275,447.61. By adding to these amounts \$139,662.88 for sundry expenditures, as shown in Part III., we find a grand total of \$2,050,347.09 expended on account of the twelve institutions.

In addition to the total expenditures as indicated above, two institutions — Lyman School and the Industrial School for Girls — have private trust funds which are administered for the benefit of inmates, but independently of the State's investment. The custody of each is vested in the State Treasurer, whose duty it is to invest the same and to pay therefrom at the request of the Trustees. Three of those trusts — the Lyman fund, the Lyman Trust fund, and the Lamb fund — apply to Lyman School, while the Fay, the Mary Lamb, and the Rogers School funds pertain to the Industrial School for Girls. From these sources a total of \$1,492.68 was expended during the

year, of which \$20.52 was for books out of the Rogers fund, and the balance from the Lyman Trust and Mary Lamb funds. The major part of the outlay was for entertainments, drill and band equipment, athletic goods, lectures, prizes, and similar miscellaneous items.

IV. ANALYSIS OF MAINTENANCE AND NET PER CAPITA.

The uniform analysis of maintenance expenditures comprises eight classes of divisions namely, "salaries, wages, and labor;" "food;" "clothing and clothing materials;" "furnishings;" "heat, light, and power;" "repairs and improvements;" "farm, stable, and grounds;" and "miscellaneous." Table VII. is correspondingly divided into eight parts, with a summary, and shows for each of the twelve institutions the total cost of maintenance for each of the main headings in the analysis. It further shows all receipts from sales or refunds; the difference, which is the net cost to the institution; and the average net weekly per capita cost to the institution, with a column showing the corresponding per capita for the three-year period just ended.

TABLE VI. PART I. — *Expenditures of State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	MAINTENANCE									Totals
	Salaries, Wages, and Labor	Food	Clothing and Materials	Furnishings	Heat, Light, and Power	Repairs and Im- provements	Farm, Stable, and Grounds	Religious Services	Miscella- neous	
State Infirmary	\$155,533 42	\$126,665 50	\$21,471 68	\$16,675 62	\$53,505 67	\$22,979 07	\$12,825 74	\$1,280 41	\$33,193 45	\$444,130 56
State Farm	108,615 03	96,037 35	26,558 90	11,088 18	33,849 68	18,234 46	24,393 10	1,621 76	27,595 07	347,993 53
Norfolk State Hospital	9,330 12	7,000 69	1,588 31	809 61	1,381 15	2,324 03	4,937 73	230 00	1,898 36	29,500 00
Lyman School for Boys	47,120 73	19,744 27	8,948 31	1,933 34	12,374 46	6,087 67	7,358 46	1,157 82	12,274 54	116,999 60
Industrial School for Boys	28,007 84	11,229 62	4,673 15	1,851 81	4,410 65	3,114 73	7,045 28	930 00	6,966 71	68,229 79
Industrial School for Girls	35,761 10	12,381 70	6,146 54	3,168 17	8,180 17	3,179 31	7,220 67	1,000 00	4,516 28	81,553 34
Massachusetts Hospital School	30,283 37	20,324 45	1,496 54	1,677 80	3,577 00	2,093 48	2,708 97	750 00	5,896 33	68,807 94
Rutland State Sanatorium	67,116 08	76,478 26	171 52	3,979 74	14,751 24	3,219 27	8,717 09	1,005 50	12,637 85	188,076 55
North Reading State Sanatorium	33,421 43	27,225 67	223 40	2,899 05	5,099 43	4,170 17	3,285 27	1,006 54	5,216 59	82,457 55
Lakeville State Sanatorium	37,154 35	26,804 87	88 04	3,686 50	3,783 21	3,719 85	7,477 52	878 10	5,507 56	89,100 00
Westfield State Sanatorium	38,257 21	27,375 73	315 00	3,014 39	6,165 09	4,902 52	8,084 95	886 00	5,996 02	94,996 91
Penikese Hospital	9,329 62	3,643 36	970 85	745 89	1,317 08	2,021 18	1,425 18	10 00	3,927 67	23,390 83
Totals	\$599,930 30	\$454,911 47	\$72,652 24	\$51,530 10	\$148,304 83	\$76,045 74	\$95,479 36	\$10,756 13	\$125,626 43	\$1,635,236 60

TABLE VI. PART II. — *Expenditures of the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES				
	Land	Buildings	Furnishing and equipping	Miscella- neous	Total
State Infirmary	-	\$29,934 71	-	-	\$29,934 71
State Farm	\$125 00	17,329 76	-	\$6,431 84	23,886 60
Norfolk State Hospital . . .	1,632 04	81,359 81	-	3,904 41	86,946 26
Lyman School for Boys . . .	-	126 53	-	854 55	981 08
Industrial School for Boys . .	-	24,050 09	\$5,087 77	1,889 07	31,026 93
Industrial School for Girls . .	-	389 22	-	11,581 93	11,971 15
Massachusetts Hospital School .	-	23,924 80	-	10 00	23,934 80
Rutland State Sanatorium . . .	-	8,764 76	-	692 29	9,457 05
North Reading State Sanatorium	-	5,893 07	-	1,925 90	7,818 97
Lakeville State Sanatorium . .	-	12,751 31	292 72	-	13,044 03
Westfield State Sanatorium . .	-	24,482 53	-	1,500 00	25,982 53
Penikese Hospital	-	5,385 09	3,759 75	1,318 66	10,463 50
Totals	\$1,807 04	\$234,391 68	\$9,140 24	\$30,108 65	\$275,447 61

TABLE VI. PART III. — *Expenditures of State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	FOR SUNDRY PURPOSES APART FROM THE INSTITUTIONS								Grand Total
	TRUSTEES			Trust Funds	PROBATION			Industries Account	
	Clerical and Office Expenses	Travel and All Other Expenses	Total		Travel and Incidental Expenses	Board and Care of Pro- bationers	Total		
Trustees, Massachusetts Training Schools	\$4,348 23	\$1,086 38	\$5,434 61	-	-	-	-	-	\$5,434 61
Trustees, Massachusetts Hospitals for Consumptives	3,815 54	70,956 46 ¹	74,772 00	-	-	-	-	-	74,772 00
State Farm	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$8,799 91	8,799 91
Lyman School for Boys and Industrial School for Boys	-	-	-	\$1,414 88	\$18,803 57	\$11,545 69	\$30,349 26	-	31,764 14
Industrial School for Girls	-	-	-	77 80	-	18,814 42	18,814 42	-	18,892 22
Totals	\$8,163 77	\$72,042 84	\$80,206 61	\$1,492 68	\$18,803 57	\$30,360 11	\$49,163 68	\$8,799 91	\$139,662 88

¹ Includes \$64,923.14 expended under chapter 597, Acts of 1911, for subsidies to cities and towns maintaining tuberculosis hospitals.

TABLE VI. PART IV. — *Summary of Expenditures for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	Maintenance	Special Purposes	Sundry Purposes apart from the Institutions	Total
State Infirmary	\$444,130 56	\$29,934 71	-	\$474,065 27
State Farm	347,993 53	23,886 60	\$8,799 91	380,680 04
Norfolk State Hospital	29,500 00	86,946 26	-	116,446 26
Lyman School for Boys	116,999 60	951 08	1,414 88	119,395 56
Industrial School for Boys	68,229 79	31,026 93	-	99,256 72
Industrial School for Girls	81,553 34	11,971 15	77 80	93,602 29
Massachusetts Hospital School	68,807 94	23,934 80	-	92,742 74
Rutland State Sanatorium	188,076 55	9,457 05	-	197,533 60
North Reading State Sanatorium	82,457 55	7,818 97	-	90,276 52
Lakeville State Sanatorium	89,100 00	13,044 03	-	102,144 03
Westfield State Sanatorium	94,996 91	25,982 53	-	120,979 44
Penikese Hospital	23,390 83	10,463 50	-	33,854 33
Trustees, Massachusetts Training Schools	-	-	54,598 29	54,598 29
Trustees, Massachusetts Hospitals for Consumptives	-	-	74,772 00	74,772 00
Totals	\$1,635,236 60	\$275,447 61	\$139,662 88	\$2,050,347 09

TABLE VII. PART I. — *Analysis of Expenditures for Maintenance and Net Weekly Per Capita Cost of Maintenance of the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	SALARIES, WAGES, AND LABOR				
	Total expended	Receipts from Refunds	Net Cost to the Institution	WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
				1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$155,533 42	-	\$155,533 42	\$1 289	\$1 080
State Farm	108,615 03	\$13 08	108,601 95	803	726
Norfolk State Hospital	9,330 12	-	9,330 12	3 071	2 936 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	47,120 73	-	47,120 73	2 212	2 381
Industrial School for Boys	28,007 84	-	28,007 84	2 947	3 173
Industrial School for Girls	35,761 10	-	35,761 10	2 226	2 129
Massachusetts Hospital School	30,283 37	-	30,283 37	2 462	2 360
Rutland State Sanatorium	67,116 08	-	67,116 08	3 698	3 568
North Reading State Sanatorium	33,421 43	-	33,421 43	3 589	3 496
Lakeville State Sanatorium	37,154 35	-	37,154 35	3 656	4 190
Westfield State Sanatorium	38,257 21	-	38,257 21	4 018	3 921
Penikese Hospital	9,329 62	-	9,329 62	12 138	6 020
Totals	\$599,930 30	\$13 08	\$599,917 22	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE VII. PART II. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	FOOD				
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
				1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$126,665 50	—	\$126,665 50	\$1 050	\$1 088
State Farm	96,037 35	—	96,037 35	710	685
Norfolk State Hospital	7,000 69	\$49 50	6,951 19	2 288	2 625 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	19,744 27	36 30	19,707 97	925	1 070
Industrial School for Boys . . .	11,229 62	—	11,229 62	1 181	1 174
Industrial School for Girls . . .	12,381 70	—	12,381 70	770	735
Massachusetts Hospital School .	20,324 45	—	20,324 45	1 652	1 358
Rutland State Sanatorium . . .	76,478 26	1,014 36	75,463 90	4 158	3 959
North Reading State Sanatorium .	27,225 67	11 13	27,214 54	2 922	3 365
Lakeville State Sanatorium . .	26,804 87	—	26,804 87	2 638	2 880
Westfield State Sanatorium . .	27,375 73	780 73	26,595 00	2 793	3 457
Penikese Hospital	3,643 36	—	3,643 36	4 740	3 358
Totals	\$454,911 47	\$1,892 02	\$453,019 45	—	—

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.TABLE VII. PART III. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	CLOTHING AND CLOTHING MATERIALS				
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
				1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$21,471 68	\$316 23	\$21,155 45	\$0 175	\$0 173
State Farm	26,558 90	—	26,558 90	196	190
Norfolk State Hospital	1,588 31	2 35	1,585 96	522	594 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	8,948 31	4 15	8,944 16	420	422
Industrial School for Boys . . .	4,673 15	—	4,673 15	491	552
Industrial School for Girls . . .	6,146 54	6 26	6,140 28	382	377
Massachusetts Hospital School .	1,496 54	—	1,496 54	121	175
Rutland State Sanatorium . . .	171 52	37 25	134 27	007	002
North Reading State Sanatorium .	223 40	36 47	186 93	020	042
Lakeville State Sanatorium . .	88 04	108 14	—	—	042
Westfield State Sanatorium . .	315 00	—	315 00	033	055
Penikese Hospital	970 85	37 97	932 88	1 213	1 171
Totals	\$72,652 24	\$548 82	\$72,123 52	—	—

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE VII.—PART IV.—*Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.*—Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	FURNISHINGS			WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$16,675 62	-	\$16,675 62	\$0 138	\$0 113
State Farm	11,088 18	\$96 01	10,992 17	081	333
Norfolk State Hospital	809 61	3 65	805 96	265	532 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	1,933 34	5 00	1,928 34	090	140
Industrial School for Boys	1,851 81	-	1,851 81	194	152
Industrial School for Girls	3,168 17	50	3,167 67	197	209
Massachusetts Hospital School	1,677 80	-	1,677 80	136	119
Rutland State Sanatorium	3,979 74	-	3,979 74	219	289
North Reading State Sanatorium	2,899 05	22 35	2,876 70	308	444
Lakeville State Sanatorium	3,686 50	20 79	3,665 71	360	577
Westfield State Sanatorium	3,014 39	-	3,014 39	316	657
Penikese Hospital	745 89	-	745 89	970	489
Totals	\$51,530 10	\$148 30	\$51,381 80	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.TABLE VII. PART V.—*Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.*—Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	HEAT, LIGHT, AND POWER			WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$53,505 67	-	\$53,505 67	\$0 443	\$0 374
State Farm	33,849 68	\$9 67	33,840 01	250	263
Norfolk State Hospital	1,381 15	-	1,381 15	454	816 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	12,374 46	-	12,374 46	581	675
Industrial School for Boys	4,410 65	-	4,410 65	464	561
Industrial School for Girls	8,180 17	-	8,180 17	509	509
Massachusetts Hospital School	3,577 00	-	3,577 00	290	535
Rutland State Sanatorium	14,751 24	-	14,751 24	612	814
North Reading State Sanatorium	5,009 43	-	5,009 43	538	516
Lakeville State Sanatorium	3,783 21	-	3,783 21	372	622
Westfield State Sanatorium	6,165 09	-	6,165 09	647	535
Penikese Hospital	1,317 08	-	1,317 08	1 713	1 243
Totals	\$148,304 83	\$9 67	\$148,295 16	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE VII. PART VI. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS			WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$22,979 07	-	\$22,979 07	\$0 190	\$0 275
State Farm	18,234 46	\$262 93	17,971 53	132	126
Norfolk State Hospital	2,324 03	-	2,324 03	765	2 192 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	6,087 67	260 05	5,827 62	273	338
Industrial School for Boys	3,114 73	-	3,114 73	327	326
Industrial School for Girls	3,179 31	2 55	3,176 76	197	144
Massachusetts Hospital School	2,093 48	3 81	2,089 67	169	169
Rutland State Sanatorium	3,219 27	-	3,219 27	177	207
North Reading State Sanatorium	4,170 17	-	4,170 17	447	575
Lakeville State Sanatorium	3,719 85	-	3,719 85	366	776
Westfield State Sanatorium	4,902 52	-	4,902 52	514	635
Penikese Hospital	2,021 18	-	2,021 18	2 629	1 072
Totals	\$76,045 74	\$529 34	\$75,516 40	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.TABLE VII. PART VII. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	FARM, STABLE, AND GROUNDS			WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$12,825 74	\$95 68	\$12,730 06	\$0 105	\$0 121
State Farm	24,393 10	5,807 74	18,585 36	137	174
Norfolk State Hospital	4,937 73	167 00	4,770 73	1 570	1 535 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	7,358 46	302 16	7,056 30	331	441
Industrial School for Boys	7,045 28	53 10	6,992 18	735	915
Industrial School for Girls	7,220 07	253 97	6,966 10	433	468
Massachusetts Hospital School	2,708 97	88 50	2,620 47	213	401
Rutland State Sanatorium	8,717 09	2,770 55	5,946 54	327	461
North Reading State Sanatorium	3,285 27	61 40	3,223 87	346	357
Lakeville State Sanatorium	7,477 52	1,488 13	5,989 39	589	749
Westfield State Sanatorium	8,084 95	596 87	7,488 08	736	406
Penikese Hospital	1,435 18	34 20	1,399 98	1 809	1 756
Totals	\$95,479 36	\$11,719 80	\$83,760 06	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE VII. PART VIII. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	MISCELLANEOUS				
	Total expended	Receipts from Sales	Net Cost to the Institution	WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
				1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmery	\$34,473 86	\$459 41	\$34,014 45	\$0 282	\$0 260
State Farm	29,216 83	530 63	28,686 20	212	193
Norfolk State Hospital	2,128 36	—	2,128 36	700	993 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	13,432 36	2 04	13,430 32	630	608
Industrial School for Boys	7,896 71	—	7,896 71	830	614
Industrial School for Girls	5,516 28	3 80	5,512 48	343	344
Massachusetts Hospital School	6,646 33	56 11	6,590 22	535	604
Rutland State Sanatorium	13,643 35	519 21	13,124 14	723	782
North Reading State Sanatorium	6,223 13	347 72	5,875 41	631	765
Lakeville State Sanatorium	6,385 66	523 31	5,862 35	577	918
Westfield State Sanatorium	6,882 02	57 77	6,824 25	716	863
Penikese Hospital	3,937 67	14 86	3,922 81	5 103	3 617
Totals	\$136,382 56	\$2,514 86	\$133,867 70	—	—

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE VII. PART IX. — *Analysis of Expenditures and Net Weekly Per Capita, etc.* — Concluded.

INSTITUTIONS	SUMMARY						
	Total Expense	WEEKLY PER CAPITA		Total Receipts from Sales and Refunds	Net Cost to the Institution	NET WEEKLY PER CAPITA	
		1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912			1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	\$444,130 56	\$3 682	\$3 494	\$871 32	\$443,259 24	\$3 675	\$3 482
State Farm	347,993 53	2 574	2 483	6,720 06	341,273 47	2 525	2 451
Norfolk State Hospital	29,500 00	9 712	-	222 50	29,277 50	9 639	-
Lyman School for Boys	116,999 60	5 494	6 097	609 70	116,389 90	5 465	6 063
Industrial School for Boys	68,229 79	7 179	7 867	53 10	68,176 69	7 173	7 676
Industrial School for Girls	81,553 34	5 078	4 932	267 08	81,286 26	5 061	4 901
Massachusetts Hospital School	68,807 94	5 595	5 737	148 42	68,659 52	5 583	5 721
Rutland State Sanatorium	188,076 55	10 364	10 244	4,341 37	183,735 18	10 125	9 961
North Reading State Sanatorium	82,457 55	8 856	9 634	479 07	81,978 48	8 804	9 548
Lakeville State Sanatorium	89,100 00	8 769	10 373	2,140 37	86,959 63	8 558	10 764
Westfield State Sanatorium	94,996 91	9 977	9 765	1,435 37	93,561 54	9 826	10 497
Peukese Hospital	23,390 83	30 433	18 733	87 03	23,303 80	30 320	18 733
Totals	\$1,635,236 60	-	-	\$17,375 39	\$1,617,861 21	-	-

V. COMPARISON OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
THEREFROM.

Table VIII. affords comparison of appropriations for maintenance with the respective amounts expended therefrom. Appropriations are classified as "receipts available for maintenance," and "appropriations in addition to such receipts." All receipts at the four sanatoria, the Hospital School, and the Norfolk State Hospital, though turned, like receipts of all the other institutions, into the State treasury, are by law applicable to maintenance in the succeeding year. Receipts at the remaining institutions are not so applied. By this comparison the total maintenance expenditures exceeded the total appropriations by \$14,877.60, that amount representing the net deficit. Balances covered back into the treasury from all the several appropriations totalled \$5,289.63. Inasmuch as this sum by such reversion ceases to be available for institutional purposes, the equivalent should be added to the deficiency just stated in order to show the apparent deficit which must be met by additional appropriations. This apparent deficit totals \$20,167.23. The heaviest deficit was incurred at the Westfield State Sanatorium, where rapid expansion to meet the Trustees' plan of making this a hospital for tuberculous children has created unforeseen demands upon maintenance funds.

Receipts of 1912 available for maintenance in 1913 totalled \$155,227.05. This sum was received largely on account of board of patients at the State sanatoria and the Hospital School.

TABLE VIII. — *Comparison of Appropriations and Expenditures for Maintenance for the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	Total expended for Maintenance	APPROPRIATIONS FOR MAINTENANCE			Deficiencies	Balances reverting to State Treasury	Authorization
		Receipts of 1912 available for Maintenance	In Addition to such Receipts	Total Available for Maintenance			
State Infirmary	\$444,130 56	-	\$444,200 00	\$444,200 00	-	\$69 44	Chapter 146, Acts of 1913.
State Farm	347,963 53	-	348,000 00	348,000 00	-	6 47	Chapter 139, Acts of 1913.
Norfolk State Hospital	29,500 00	\$322 32	29,177 68	29,500 00	-	-	Chapter 77, Acts of 1913.
Iymann School for Boys	116,999 60	-	114,000 00	114,000 00	\$2,999 60	-	Chapter 140, Acts of 1913.
Industrial School for Boys	68,229 79	-	68,230 00	68,230 00	-	21	Chapter 261, Acts of 1913.
Industrial School for Girls	81,553 34	-	78,500 00	78,500 00	3,053 34	-	Chapter 126, Acts of 1913.
Massachusetts Hospital School	68,807 94	38,679 74	34,934 26	73,614 00	-	4,806 06	Chapter 79, Acts of 1913.
Rutland State Sanatorium	188,076 55	50,268 94	132,731 06	183,000 00	5,076 55	-	Chapter 104, Acts of 1913.
North Reading State Sanatorium	82,457 55	22,221 46	60,643 54	82,865 00	-	407 45	Chapter 102, Acts of 1913.
Lakeville State Sanatorium	89,100 00	17,286 08	70,013 92	87,300 00	1,800 00	-	Chapter 74, Acts of 1913.
Westfield State Sanatorium	94,996 91	26,448 51	62,051 49	88,500 00	6,496 91	-	Chapter 101, Acts of 1913.
Penikese Hospital	23,390 83	-	22,650 00	22,650 00	740 83	-	Chapters 151 and 820, Acts of 1913.
Totals	\$1,635,236 60	\$155,227 05	\$1,465,131 95	\$1,620,359 00	\$20,107 23	\$5,289 63	

VI. APPROPRIATIONS FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES.

The total of appropriations for special purposes during 1913, as shown by Table IX., was \$316,307.89. In addition to this amount, the several institutions began the year with a total of \$281,728.88 unexpended balance on previous special appropriations. The grand total available for 1913 was, therefore, \$598,036.77. The amount expended from this total was \$275,447.61, leaving an unexpended balance of \$322,589.16, of which \$320,153.91 will be available in 1914. The small remainder of \$2,435.25 reverts to the State treasury.

VII. NET COST TO THE COMMONWEALTH.

The net cost to the State of maintaining or conducting each institution is the difference between total expenditure and the total receipts from all sources other than the State treasury. This total outlay must cover all moneys spent for maintenance and special purposes, together with all expenditures for sundry purposes apart from the institution, and interest on outstanding bonds. These items are compared in Table X. For convenience, the daily average number of inmates and the net weekly per capita cost to the State are added. This tabulation shows a daily average number of inmates of 7,016.35, and expenditures for all purposes of \$2,123,562.24. Total receipts from institutions, *i.e.*, sources other than the State treasury, amounted to \$196,399.65. The net cost to the State for all twelve institutions amounted to \$1,927,162.59, making the net weekly per capita cost to the State \$5.267.

TABLE IX. — Appropriations for the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913, and Analysis of Expenditures therefrom.

INSTITUTIONS	APPROPRIATIONS			EXPENDITURES						UNEXPENDED BALANCE		
	For 1913	Available from Preceding Appropriations	Total Available for 1913	Land	BUILDINGS			Furnish- ing and Equip- ping	Miscel- laneous	Grand Total	Available for 1914	Reverting to State Treasury
					New	Additions	Total					
State Infirmary	\$50,000 00	\$43,851 61	\$93,851 61	—	\$27,192 43	\$2,742 28	\$29,934 71	—	—	\$29,934 71	\$63,886 28	\$30 62
State Farm	14,800 00	35,716 74	50,516 74	\$125 00	5,756 46	11,573 30	17,329 76	—	\$6,431 84	23,886 60	24,257 00	2,373 14
Norfolk State Hospital	89,000 00	113,672 38	202,672 38	1,682 04	81,359 81	—	81,359 81	—	3,904 41	86,946 26	115,726 12	—
Lyman School for Boys	2,900 00	889 52	3,789 52	—	126 53	—	126 53	—	854 55	981 08	2,807 10	1 34
Industrial School for Boys	27,550 00	25,535 51	53,085 51	—	24,050 09	—	24,050 09	\$5,087 77	1,889 07	31,026 93	22,057 76	82
Industrial School for Girls	44,150 00	8,466 10	52,616 10	—	389 22	—	389 22	—	11,581 93	11,971 15	40,643 05	1 90
Massachusetts Hospital School	10,000 00	31,638 96	41,638 96	—	23,924 80	—	23,924 80	—	10 00	23,934 80	17,704 16	—
Rutland State Sanatorium	5,222 01	8,883 24	14,105 25	—	7,558 69	1,206 07	8,764 76	—	692 29	9,457 05	4,620 81	27 39
North Reading State Sanatorium	14,427 93	1,429 92 ¹	15,857 85	—	2,605 92	3,287 15	5,893 07	—	1,925 90	7,818 97	8,038 88	—
Lakeville State Sanatorium	20,000 00	—	20,000 00	—	8,010 74	4,740 57	12,751 31	202 72	—	13,044 03	6,955 97	—
Westfield State Sanatorium	37,000 00	1,856 03	38,856 03	—	24,482 53	—	24,482 53	—	1,500 00	25,982 53	12,873 46	04
Penikese Hospital	1,257 95	9,788 87	11,046 82	—	5,385 09	—	5,385 09	3,759 75	1,318 66	10,463 50	583 32	—
Totals	\$316,307 89	\$281,728 88	\$598,036 77	\$1,807 04	\$210,842 31	\$23,549 37	\$234,391 68	\$9,140 24	\$30,108 65	\$275,447 61	\$320,153 91	\$2,435 25

¹ \$196.22 indemnity for nonfulfilment of contract.

TABLE X.—*Summary of Expenditures and Receipts, showing Net Cost to the State of maintaining the Several State Charitable Institutions for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.*

INSTITUTIONS	Daily Average Number Inmates	TOTAL EXPENDITURES					Total Receipts from Institutions	Net Cost to the State	Net Weekly Per Capita Cost to the State
		Maintenance	Special Purposes	Sundry Purposes apart from Institutions	Interest on Outstanding Bonds	Total			
State Infirmary	2,312.87	\$444,130 56	\$29,934 71	—	\$12,842 07	\$486,907 34	\$24,546 70	\$462,360 64	\$3 833
State Farm	2,592 00	347,993 53	23,886 60	\$8,799 91	17,003 33	397,683 37	22,938 96	374,744 41	2 772
Norfolk State Hospital	58.25	29,500 00	86,946 26	—	—	116,446 26	359 33	116,086 93	38 220
Lyman School for Boys	408.39	116,999 60	981 08	1,414 88	1,645 00	121,040 56	685 94	120,354 62	5 651
Industrial School for Boys	182.26	68,229 79	31,026 93	—	4,197 50	103,454 22	193 15	103,261 07	10 865
Industrial School for Girls	308 00	81,553 34	11,971 15	77 80	1,097 25	94,699 54	285 22	94,414 32	5 878
Massachusetts Hospital School	235.83	68,807 94	23,934 80	—	10,500 00	103,242 74	39,720 42	63,522 32	5 165
Rutland State Sanatorium	348.00	188,076 55	9,457 05	—	14,905 00	212,438 60	41,667 03	170,771 57	9 411
North Reading State Sanatorium	178.56	82,457 55	7,818 97	—	3,675 00	93,951 52	21,918 14	72,033 38	7 736
Lakeville State Sanatorium	194.85	89,100 00	13,044 03	—	3,675 00	105,819 03	17,758 80	88,060 23	8 667
Westfield State Sanatorium	182.60	94,996 91	25,982 53	—	3,675 00	124,654 44	26,238 93	98,415 51	10 336
Penikese Hospital	14.74	23,390 83	10,463 50	—	—	33,854 33	87 03	33,767 30	43 934
Trustees, Massachusetts Training Schools	—	—	—	54,598 29	—	54,598 29	—	54,598 29	—
Trustees, Massachusetts Hospitals for Consumptives	—	—	—	74,772 00	—	74,772 00	—	74,772 00	—
Totals	7,016.35	\$1,635,236 60	\$275,447 61	\$139,662 88	\$73,215 15	\$2,123,562 24	\$196,399 65	\$1,927,162 59	\$5 267

VIII. ANALYSIS OF PAY ROLL.

Table XI., divided into six parts, shows a comparative analysis of the pay roll for each of the twelve institutions. The first five parts divide service into five classes, namely, "general administration," "medical service," "ward service," "repairs and improvements," and "farm, stable, and grounds." Part six summarizes the whole. The table also shows the full roster, that is, the number of employees deemed necessary to carry on the institution efficiently, and in an opposite column the daily average number employed, with the same average for the three-year period ending November 30, 1912. The same treatment is given the average monthly compensation and the weekly per capita cost. Thus it appears that the full roster for all the institutions together was 1,280. The total average number employed was 1,225.5, while for the three-year period preceding 1913 it was 1,097.22. The total average monthly compensation paid was \$534.723 as against \$502.263 in the preceding three-year period. Miscellaneous and incidental employment not entered upon the pay rolls of the institutions does not appear in this tabulation. The number of inmates to one employee remains about as before.

IX. AVERAGE PRICES PAID FOR FOOD.

As a part of the Board's supervision of fiscal administration, all expense bills for each institution are analyzed and a schedule made therefrom, showing a comparison of prices paid by each institution for commodities purchased. Table XII. shows in convenient form the average price for 1913, and for the three-year period ending November 30, 1913, of each of the several staple articles of food.

TABLE XI. PART I. — Analysis of Pay Roll of the Several State Charitable Institutions showing Total Number employed for the Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913.

INSTITUTIONS	GENERAL ADMINISTRATION						
	Full Roster	AVERAGE NUMBER EM- PLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COM- PENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
		1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912		
State Infirmary	91.46	78,023	76,944	\$54,558	\$42,607	\$0 423	\$0 342
State Farm	53.80	53,449	47,275	57,409	58,263	272	247
Norfolk State Hospital	9.10	9,304	5,967 ¹	16,535	15,231 ¹	607	499 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	14.92	15,990	15,477	63,502	58,580	572	597
Industrial School for Boys	8.55	7,621	7,933	71,149	59,540	684	863
Industrial School for Girls	7.84	7,194	19,918	64,164	38,287	344	483
Massachusetts Hospital School	30.37	27,745	23,610	41,615	33,636	1 124	907
Rutland State Sanatorium	140.40	138,055	140,322	25,388	24,378	2 317	2 288
North Reading State Sanatorium	36.43	35,678	30,857	40,048	33,687	1 841	1 496
Lakeville State Sanatorium	39.78	40,188	34,832	41,140	34,613	1 952	1 842
Westfield State Sanatorium	35.11	35,043	30,925	45,115	34,465	1 992	1 596
Penikese Hospital	5.09	2,958	2,722	103,157	89,464	4 764	4 315
Totals	472.90	451,248	436,842	\$623,780	\$522,751	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XI. PART II. — *Analysis of Pay Roll, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	MEDICAL SERVICE						
	Full Roster	AVERAGE NUMBER EM- PLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COM- PENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
		1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	
							Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	17.34	13,810	13,814	\$92,681	\$98,336	\$0.127	\$0.141
State Farm	7.40	7,695	6,003	107,140	107,243	.073	.057
Norfolk State Hospital	1.61	1,000	1,002 ¹	140,279	124,750 ¹	.554	.687 ¹
Lyman School	3.75	2,000	3,189	50,000	61,769	.056	.126
Industrial School for Boys	1.12	1,000	.970	33,333	29,976	.042	.054
Industrial School for Girls	4.48	3,000	3,296	63,075	66,908	.141	.179
Massachusetts Hospital School	3.97	2,997	2,648	40,596	121,291	.118	.359
Rutland State Sanatorium	5.20	5,750	6,388	60,663	55,897	.230	.237
North Reading State Sanatorium	3.25	2,243	2,949	87,435	126,487	.252	.390
Lakeville State Sanatorium	3.12	1,668	2,825	99,055	125,636	.195	.542
Westfield State Sanatorium	3.19	2,000	3,150	95,135	118,563	.239	.552
Penikese Hospital . . . . .	.19	1,000	.541	173,611	-	2.710	-
Totals	54.62	44,163	46,775	\$1,043,003	\$1,036,856	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XI. PART III. — *Analysis of Pay Roll, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS		WARD SERVICE						
		Full Roster	AVERAGE NUMBER EM- PLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COM- PENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
			1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	192.10	188.612	155.967	\$26.824	\$25.721	\$0.503	\$0.418	
State Farm	97.80	96.069	83.447	35.964	36.614	306	271	
Norfolk State Hospital	4.24	1.758	2.635 ¹	32.628	35.926 ¹	226	520 ¹	
Lyman School for Boys	51.67	56.676	48.925	44.382	45.436	1 417	1 472	
Industrial School for Boys	20.74	22.446	10.951	38.851	54.162	1 101	982	
Industrial School for Girls	50.32	42.467	27.348	37.003	50.240	1 174	989	
Massachusetts Hospital School	33.90	32.805	24.972	28.550	28.792	913	823	
Rutland State Sanatorium	32.80	35.301	30.858	23.679	21.639	552	446	
North Reading State Sanatorium	20.79	18.467	17.802	30.690	30.250	730	775	
Lakeville State Sanatorium	19.26	17.671	15.182	29.416	27.193	613	626	
Westfield State Sanatorium	20.97	19.289	16.233	29.885	26.656	726	646	
Penikese Hospital	2.35	1.526	1.000	36.753	18.055	875	323	
Totals	546.94	533.087	435.320	\$394.625	\$400.684	—	—	

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XI. PART IV. — *Analysis of Pay Roll, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS					
	AVERAGE NUMBER EMPLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COMPENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
	Full Roster	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913
State Infirmary	10.54	14.010	12.490	\$93 188	\$66 334	\$0 129
State Farm	4.80	3.936	5.363	64 978	62 585	022
Norfolk State Hospital	7.66	5.619	4.763 ¹	47 500	35 782 ¹	1 054
Lyman School for Boys	1.27	1.610	1.440	88 436	90 633	080
Industrial School for Boys	5.40	4.404	3.832	93 088	77 419	517
Industrial School for Girls	1.36	1.907	1.074	53 979	76 623	076
Massachusetts Hospital School	1.35	2.169	1.583	66 280	38 244	140
Rutland State Sanatorium	3.40	3.572	3.747	67 754	60 528	160
North Reading State Sanatorium	3.84	3.131	2.843	52 198	51 559 ¹	210
Lakeville State Sanatorium	3.19	2.803	3.370	69 645	71 760	230
Westfield State Sanatorium	2.81	2.362	1.511	82 972	69 511	246
Penikese Hospital	19	—	186	—	51 325	—
Totals	45.81	45.523	42.202	\$780 018	\$752 303	—

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XI. PART V. — *Analysis of Pay Roll, etc.* — Continued.

INSTITUTIONS	FARM, STABLE, AND GROUNDS						
	Full Roster	AVERAGE NUMBER EM- PLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COM- PENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
		1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
State Infirmary	27.88	30,634	27,949	\$34,585	\$30,578	\$0 105	\$0 088
State Farm	35.60	29,080	29,092	49,975	46,185	128	120
Norfolk State Hospital	3.86	5,169	2,400 ¹	30,783	22,065 ¹	628	291 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	3.15	3,795	3,625	40,448	40,880	086	097
Industrial School for Boys	9.04	9,121	8,482	52,231	45,018	601	722
Industrial School for Girls	15.68	14,247	12,396	38,251	37,255	407	378
Massachusetts Hospital School	5.17	3,833	4,540	41,884	37,774	156	197
Rutland State Sanatorium	17.40	17,969	18,433	36,839	36,069	437	444
North Reading State Sanatorium	9.39	9,603	8,075	44,773	41,300	554	480
Lakeville State Sanatorium	12.40	11,597	9,799	46,149	47,600	632	698
Westfield State Sanatorium	13.68	14,524	10,905	44,448	47,505	813	707
Penikese Hospital	2.15	1,890	.951	32,071	35,976	946	612
Totals	155.40	151,462	136,647	\$492,437	\$468,205	-	-

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XI. PART VI. — *Analysis of Pay Roll, etc.* — Concluded.

INSTITUTIONS		SUMMARY					
		AVERAGE NUMBER EMPLOYED		AVERAGE MONTHLY COMPENSATION		WEEKLY PER CAPITA COST	
		1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	For the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912	1913	Average for the Three Years 1910, 1911, and 1912
Full Roster							
State Infirmary	340	325.091	287.165	\$39 869	\$36 009	\$1 289	7.660
State Farm	200	190.232	171.182	47 580	47 286	803	14.994
Norfolk State Hospital	27	22.852	16.768 ¹	34 023	31 842 ¹	3 071	2.495 ¹
Lyman School for Boys	75	80.072	72.656	49 039	49 521	2 212	4.795
Industrial School for Boys	45	44.594	32.169	52 338	53 634	2 947	3.939
Industrial School for Girls	80	68.816	64.064	41 708	40 536	2 144	4.380
Massachusetts Hospital School	75	69.551	57.385	36 192	36 032	2 456	3.518
Rutland State Sanatorium	200	200.649	199.750	27 877	26 698	3 699	1.721
North Reading State Sanatorium	74	69.125	62.527	40 291	38 830	3 589	2.553
Lakeville State Sanatorium	78	73.928	66.010	41 510	40 109	3 624	2.284
Westfield State Sanatorium	76	73.219	62.725	43 557	38 640	4 019	2.442
Penikese Hospital	10	7.375	4.825	80 739	63 076	9 296	2.849
Totals	1,280	1,225.504	1,097.226	\$534 723	\$502 263	—	—

¹ For 1912 only. Institution transferred to this Board April 25, 1912.

TABLE XII. — *Average Prices paid for Articles of Subsistence at the State Charitable Institutions for the Year ending November 30, 1913.*

ARTICLE	STATE INFIRMARY		STATE FARM		NORFOLK STATE HOSPITAL		LYMAN SCHOOL FOR BOYS		INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS		INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS	
	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average
Butter, per pound	\$0 323	\$0 309	\$0 355	\$0 330	\$0 344	\$0 330	\$0 392	\$0 254	—	\$0 156	\$0 315	\$0 311
Butterine, per pound	125	128	122	122	150	135	143	156	—	182	156	172
Cereals, per pound	024	026	026	026	034	032	035	034	028	031	031	032
Cheese, per pound	173	174	185	174	143	151	161	154	175	172	163	163
Chocolate and cocoa, per pound	056 ¹	184	325	331	028 ¹	312	165 ¹	232	083 ¹	003 ¹	003 ¹	059 ¹
Coffee, per pound	171	169	123	124	131	138	135	133	171	178	225	207
Crackers, per pound	051	052	057	057	057	069	053	056	056	052	058	065
Eggs, per dozen	201	222	285	279	215	209	219	239	280	307	244	233
Extracts, per gallon	23 594 ²	8 440	11 523 ²	13 231 ²	7 064	7 941	4 618	5 392	4 435	5 742	7 380	7 287
Fish, fresh, per pound	012	014	044	040	051	039	048	102	042	050	044	053
Flour, wheat, per barrel	051	046	040	037	079	058	059	073	055	063	067	081
Fruit, dried, apples, per pound	4 556	5 176	4 486	4 800	4 700	5 050	4 684	5 240	4 442	5 141	4 650	5 348
prunes, per pound	066	097	069	103	066	095	096	—	068	096	072	113
raisins, per pound	044	058	058	079	052	079	063	074	042	071	084	117
fresh, apples, per barrel	067	066	055	070	064	086	066	074	059	071	060	070
bananas, per bunch	—	—	3 655	—	—	—	—	950	—	—	—	—
cranberries, per barrel	2 105	2 085	1 950	1 727	—	—	1 641	1 417	—	—	1 187	1 875
lemons, per box	7 175	7 681	7 107	7 951	—	—	7 500	7 473	7 000	6 625	6 930	8 067
oranges, per box	5 767	5 137	8 058	7 654	—	—	5 500	4 014	—	—	7 500	6 373
Meat, beef, corned, per pound	2 893	3 269	2 916	2 390	2 720	3 453	2 105	2 662	4 000	2 250	2 226	4 007
fresh, per pound	111	119	117	108	088	083	103	110	086	092	090	100
lamb and mutton, per pound	—	—	158	088	—	—	—	087	122	109	—	075
pork and pork products, per pound	111	094	100	085	112	102	087	101	091	068	101	097
lamb and mutton, per pound	101	109	097	136	098	077	109	102	072	079	126	135
Milk, per quart	110	101	127	115	115	103	113	112	118	128	118	146
Molasses and syrup, per gallon	018	046	—	017	064	—	—	047	—	—	—	—
Poultry, per pound	196	196	232	232	220	242	168	322	201	266	343	326
Salt, per pound	176	180	198	202	218	214	206	178	181	259	257	178
	0055	0052	0055	0053	0040	0055	0053	0059	0065	0069	0073	0070

¹ Includes cocoa shells.² Part by small bottles.³ Produces all milk.

TABLE XII.—Average Prices paid for Articles of Subsistence, etc.—Continued.

ARTICLE	STATE INFIRMARY		STATE FARM		NORFOLK STATE HOSPITAL		LYMAN SCHOOL FOR BOYS		INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS		INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS	
	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average
Spices, per pound	\$0 179	\$0 161	\$0 147	\$0 179	\$0 199	\$0 218	\$0 228	\$0 210	\$0 203	\$0 217	\$0 177	\$0 171
Sugar, per pound	014	052	040	049	042	051	043	052	043	053	043	050
Tea, per pound	132	154	128	146	168	176	158	221	037	057	318	273
Vegetables, canned, per dozen quarts	857	838	1 834	1 450	908	860	909	926	1 111	857	894	1 016
Beans, dried, per bushel	2 394	2 412	2 376	2 248	2 540	2 527	2 337	2 177	2 402	2 322	2 426	2 461
Peas, dried, per bushel	1 917	1 708	2 053	2 658	2 772	2 516	2 268	2 123	2 379	2 350	2 676	2 008
Potatoes, white, per bushel	588	720	917	1 023	803	970	550	714	609	724	896	896
Potatoes, white, per bushel	138	161	121	142	133	138	—	147	138	155	121	130
Vinegar, per gallon	250	250	250	212	—	—	270	236	251	333	250	243
Xcess, per pound	5 520	5 774	5 767	5 601	5 546	5 761	5 953	5 773	5 776	5 509	5 126	5 275
Coal, anthracite, per gross ton ¹	3 676	3 709	3 582	3 358	—	—	3 668	3 540	3 400	3 481	4 500	—
Bituminous, per gross ton	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

¹ Prices based on ton (2,240) P. O. B., Boston.

TABLE XII. — *Average Prices paid for Articles of Subsistence, etc. — Continued.*

ARTICLE	MASSACHUSETTS HOSPITAL SCHOOL		RUTLAND STATE SANATORIUM		NORTH READING STATE SANATORIUM		LAKEVILLE STATE SANATORIUM		WESTFIELD STATE SANATORIUM		AVERAGE FOR ALL INSTITUTIONS	
	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average	1913	Three Years' Average
Butter, per pound	\$0 279	\$0 281	\$0 308	\$0 293	\$0 300	\$0 283	\$0 293	\$0 287	\$0 291	\$0 284	\$0 320	\$0 296
Butterine, per pound		209	152	149	167	170		171		187	146	161
Cereals, per pound	030	032	040	038	035	032	039	036	038	042	032	033
Cheese, per pound	189	178	173	169	168	183	167	160	184	164	173	167
Chocolate and cocoa, per pound	149	237	265	279	168	193	190	193	220	240	158	211
Coffee, per pound	196	180	183	180	175	176	194	194	222	195	175	170
Crackers, per pound		062	094	068	069	073	064	063	095	089	065	063
Eggs, per dozen	255	253	327	304	277	262	244	263	235	235	253	259
Extracts, per gallon	6 813	6 406	6 449	6 155	2 670	4 326	6 212	6 322	3 350	4 800	7 675	6 923
Fish, fresh, per pound	052	053	093	087	055	049	067	060	111	091	059	060
Flour, wheat, per barrel	064	063	073	086	063	060	066	034	057	072	061	060
Fruit, dried, apples, per pound	4 616	5 155	4 759	5 249	4 985	5 372	4 890	5 557	5 072	5 161	4 712	5 204
Prunes, per pound	076	113		088	071	104	067	104		104	072	101
Raisins, per pound	070	079	062	074	060	083	066	071	080	083	062	079
fresh, apples, per pound	065	071	067	077	081	071	063	068	076	070	065	072
bananas, per barrel	2 673	2 516	2 934	2 506	2 937	2 443	2 372	2 632	2 580	2 227	2 698	2 418
cranberries, per barrel	6 000	1 896	1 536	1 579	1 916	2 088	1 665	1 893	1 097	1 642	1 744	1 800
lemons, per box	6 951	4 882	5 365	4 352	5 497	5 192	4 910	4 251	6 513	7 599	6 811	7 615
oranges, per box	3 120	2 995	4 065	3 323	3 410	2 989	3 745	3 051	3 473	3 409	3 151	5 259
Lard, per pound	093	093	101	152	088	089	088	096	102	095	097	103
Meat, beef, corned, per pound	150	081								085	155	090
fresh, per pound	123	106	134	130	138	121	137	118	143	123	116	106
lamb and mutton, per pound	082	092	142	124	113	102	129	119	122	114	108	108
pork and pork products, per pound	149	139	166	145	140	140	154	135	161	142	133	127
Milk, per quart	063	062	045	047	052	040	061	053	073	047	038	049
Molasses and syrup, per gallon	377	255	230	281	512	537	430	341	288	336	289	304
Poultry, per pound		175	168	161	181	175	166	170	161	186	190	186
Salt, per pound	0061	0058	0056	0050	0054	0058	0049	0068	0051	0062	0055	0059

1 Includes carcass shells.

TABLE XII. — *Average Prices paid for Articles of Subsistence, etc.* — Concluded.

ARTICLE	MASSACHUSETTS HOSPITAL SCHOOL		RUTLAND STATE SANATORIUM		NORTH READING STATE SANATORIUM		LAKEVILLE STATE SANATORIUM		WESTFIELD STATE SANATORIUM		AVERAGE FOR ALL INSTITUTIONS	
	Three Years' Average		Three Years' Average		Three Years' Average		Three Years' Average		Three Years' Average		1913	
	1913		1913		1913		1913		1913		1913	
Spice, per pound	\$0 172	\$0 180	\$0 186	\$0 175	\$0 221	\$0 191	\$0 214	\$0 222	\$0 213	\$0 207	\$0 194	\$0 193
Sugar, per pound	046	053	044	051	013	051	044	050	046	054	043	051
Tea, per pound	241	243	220	227	197	197	177	171	194	211	205	210
Vegetables, canned, per dozen quarts	978	999	1 013	896	886	939	1 253	855	1 112	987	1 088	965
Beans, dried, per bushel	2 574	2 677	2 620	2 732	2 569	2 508	2 171	2 681	2 482	2 568	2 432	2 488
Peas, dried, per bushel	2 191	2 334	2 513	2 302	2 284	2 184	2 336	2 402	—	2 148	2 338	2 256
Potatoes, white, per bushel	687	803	654	825	682	856	718	678	676	873	703	825
Vinegar, per gallon	128	135	145	120	139	136	132	134	138	151	132	141
Yeast, per pound	250	250	250	252	300	427	347	312	259	260	265	277
Coal, anthracite, per gross ton ¹	6 198	5 891	6 165	5 945	5 500	5 755	5 696	5 971	6 857	6 327	5 827	5 777
Coal, bituminous, per gross ton	3 500	3 515	3 604	3 469	3 789	3 492	3 647	3 436	4 048	3 813	3 741	3 534

¹ Prices based on ton (2,240) F. O. B. Boston.

THE COUNTY TRAINING SCHOOLS.

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 46 of the Revised Laws, the Board's officers have visited each of the six County Training Schools and submit the following report:—

The names of the several institutions and the territory from which each receives boys, are as follows:—

Essex County Training School, Essex County.

Hampden County Training School, Hampden and Berkshire counties.

Middlesex County Training School, Middlesex, Franklin and Hampshire counties; Suffolk County outside of Boston.

Norfolk, Bristol and Plymouth Union Training School, Norfolk, Bristol, Plymouth, Barnstable and Dukes counties.

Suffolk County Training School, City of Boston.

Worcester County Training School, Worcester County.

Nantucket has not designated the school which it would use in case of necessity.

VALUE OF PLANT AND YEAR EXPENDITURES.

As shown in the following items, the combined valuation of the six plants is \$825,600, while the total expenditure for the year 1912 was \$156,731. The average weekly cost per capita in 1913 ranges from \$2.70 to \$7.50.¹

¹ See Table I.

TABLE I.—County Training Schools. — Numbers and Movement of Population.

School.	Superintendent.	Whole Number in School during Year	Average Number in School during Year	Number in December, 1912	Number admitted during Year	Number released or discharged during Year	Number remaining November 30, 1913	Average Age at Time of Admittance	Average Weekly Per Capita Cost of Maintaining Schools
Essex	W. Grant Fancher .	175	127+	127	48	42	133	12 years, 1 month	\$4 57
Hampden	Charles E. Butler .	74	37	39	35	39	35	12 years, 3 months	3 17+
Middlesex	Rufus E. Corlew .	219	135	182	37	120	99	11 years	4 79
Norfolk, Bristol, etc.	James H. Craig .	77	46	48	29	33	44	12 years, 6 months	4 90
Suffolk	Geo. C. Minard .	206	125	137	69	104	102	11 years, 10 months	7 50 ¹
Worcester	Stephen S. Streeter .	97	68	66	31	29	68	11 years, 4 months	2 70
Totals		848	538	599	249	367	481	—	—

¹ Approximate.

TABLE II. — *Valuation of Plant, and Total Yearly Expense.*

COUNTY	Value of Plant	Total Yearly Expense, ¹ 1912
Essex	\$175,000	\$30,712
Hampden	28,000	6,270
Middlesex	202,000	45,863
Norfolk	25,500	12,384
Suffolk	320,100	49,504
Worcester	75,000	11,998
Total	\$825,600	\$156,731

¹ The last county reports in print.

DESCRIPTION OF PLANTS.

The boys in the Essex School are housed in a wooden cottage and in the wing of the brick administration building. There is a separate school building of brick. The farm contains 35 acres, 25 of which are cultivated and 10 hired for hay and crops. The stock consists of 14 cows, 7 horses, 33 cattle, 140 pigs, 250 hens.

The building which constitutes the Hampden County School is old and ill adapted for the purpose. The county commissioners apparently anticipate early removal to some new site, and have consequently provided very little in the way of repairs. The physical condition of the school appears greatly improved; there is no longer a stale odor, and the new superintendent is persevering with the work of getting rid of the waterbugs with which the place has become infested. This school has but two shower baths; its sanitary arrangements are poor and inadequate.

The Middlesex County School has four cottages for boys and an industrial building. The number of inmates has greatly decreased, Cambridge having ceased, during the past year, to send cases there. As a result there are but two of the four cottages now occupied. There are 37 acres of land, 3 cows, 4 horses, 8 swine and a number of hens. The superintendent has a separate residence.

Matrons and women assistants	44
Male employees for work in institution	15
Male employees for work outside institution	7
Watchmen	5

There has been one change in administration during the year. Mr. Charles E. Butler became superintendent of the Hampden County School in place of Mr. Irwin G. Ward, resigned. Mr. Butler was formerly superintendent of the Chicopee Almshouse.

NUMBERS, MOVEMENT OF POPULATION, AND AGES.

It appears from Table I. that there were 848 boys in the six schools in 1913. There were 599 at the beginning of the year. During the twelve months 249 were admitted and 367 were discharged, leaving 481 on November 30, when the year closed. The average number of boys during the year was 538. The average age of the boys at the time of admittance was eleven years, ten months; the ages of the individual boys ranged from seven years to fifteen years and ten months.

The total number of boys enrolled on the several days of visitation was 477. Table III. shows the distribution of inmates by ages:—

TABLE III.—*Number of Boys in Each School, grouped by Age.*

COUNTY	AGE LAST BIRTHDAY									Totals
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
Essex	—	1	4	5	12	15	23	38	36	134
Hampden	—	1	—	4	6	5	14	2	1	33
Middlesex	1	1	4	7	15	12	22	19	16	97
Norfolk	—	—	1	4	6	6	13	9	6	45
Suffolk ¹	—	—	6	6	11	20	16	23	13	95
Worcester	—	1	6	7	5	7	15	13	17	71
Totals	1	4	21	33	55	65	103	104	89	475 ¹

¹ Two children not accounted for.

The total number of boys in all the schools is about the same as it was ten years ago, though the distribution has changed. The Essex School has increased during that period from 35 to

134; Middlesex has decreased from 148 to 97, owing to the fact that Cambridge has ceased to send cases there; the Suffolk School has decreased from 213 to 97, due, perhaps, to a wider use of the probation system for boys considered hopeful, and of the Lyman School for those needing institution training. The Worcester School has increased from 33 to 71 boys during the ten-year period. The parents of over 50 per cent. of the boys in most of these training schools are foreign born.

It is apparent, from the ages and general appearance of the boys, that many cannot be habitual truants or school offenders, and that others are much more than this. Last year the Middlesex School received 33 boys under nine years of age; 5 boys entered the school when they were only seven years of age, or the year during which they attained legal school age. These younger boys are either neglected children or are placed in the training school because of the poverty of their parents. Many cases should have been dealt with individually, on the basis of the need in the family, and should never have been committed to an institution under the archaic system of uniting relief and correction. On the other hand, many of the older boys have been guilty of various kinds and degrees of crime. Investigation will show that cigarette smokers, degenerates and perverts are plentiful among them; and unless the most careful classification is pursued, the more hardened boys are certain to instruct the more innocent, until the lowest moral standard becomes the average standard of the whole number.

RECORDS AND HISTORIES.

The records of the institutions, as a rule, show little more than enough to identify the boy in case he escapes. As a rule, no information comes with him except that contained in the mittimus; and his past history, therefore, is learned, if at all, in a haphazard manner after he reaches the school. Further knowledge or information ends when the boy leaves, unless he chooses to write and divulge his plans and progress.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS AND CARE.

The Essex, the Middlesex and Suffolk schools, require a medical examination of new boys upon entrance, the last an inspection at regular intervals. The second school has just inaugurated such a system. The amount of medical attendance upon the sick varies; for instance, the Hampden School has confined its care largely to the extraction of teeth. The Worcester School pays out scarcely \$1 per capita for physician's services in a year.

It is not safe to presume that the boys do not need medical care of the most expert type, as even cursory examination will show. Seventeen boys out of a fraction of those in the six training schools said that they had worn glasses before entering, but not afterwards. Only four boys were seen wearing them. Many of the boys are bed wetters; and a large proportion of them are undersized and anæmic and are plainly the victims of previous neglect, underfeeding, and bad habits. Taking the schools as a whole, the physical condition of the inmates at the time of commitment does not vary greatly in the several localities. It may be safely asserted, therefore, that the 989 recorded instances of sickness in the Suffolk County School during the past year indicate the probable health conditions existing in the other schools if the same medical scrutiny were invoked to bring them to light.

The Essex, Hampden and Middlesex schools have not sufficient provision for isolating suspicious cases. Norfolk has recently equipped a separate cottage, and Worcester, a portion of the attic, as a hospital ward. Suffolk uses one end of the office building (the former hospital building) for non-contagious cases, with a nurse in charge. The Middlesex School has a well-equipped dental laboratory. This school, as well as the one in Essex, employs a dentist regularly one day each week.

FOOD.

The dietaries in the different schools differ greatly. The Essex School leads the list in the variety and substance of the food furnished. At the other extreme is the Hampden School,

which serves all breakfasts of bread, molasses and milk, and all suppers of bread, molasses and water. The dinners are vegetables, soup or baked beans with bread and water; corned beef is served once a week. There are no desserts or milk. Such fare is monotonous and dreary to the last degree, and the poor physical appearance of the boys must be partly due to lack of proper nourishment. In connection with this school it is gratifying to note that the present management is making a special study of dietary, and has made a number of changes for the better.

The dietaries of the other four schools fall in between these two extremes. The Suffolk County School gives baked beans an important place, serving them twice each week for dinner. A new chef was employed there at the close of the year, and less prominence may be given in the future, perhaps, to this article of diet. It is a fair conclusion from inspection that the dietaries in several of the schools would be improved if they were more varied and contained more meat and milk. Silence is the prevailing rule at meal times in all but the Norfolk School, where the boys are allowed to talk in moderate tones. The honor table, permitted to some extent, forms an exception to this rule for a small group of the boys.

SLEEPING FACILITIES.

The dormitories, on the whole, are found to be clean and well equipped. All except those in the Hampden School have indirect as well as direct ventilation. Fifteen boys in the Hampden School sleep in an attic dormitory, ventilated by open windows against which beds have to be placed, due to crowding. Six boys in the Worcester School were sleeping in an unfinished, unheated attic, where conditions are very poor. Upon later inspection these beds had been removed. In view of the fact that this institution was built to accommodate 50 inmates, the necessities to which even a highly resourceful management must resort in caring for 71 boys are at once apparent.

The boys in all the institutions have at least two sets of underclothing, which is changed weekly. The Essex and Hampden schools provide no nightshirts, the boys wearing their shirts

both night and day for a week. Many of the larger boys in the Worcester School were found to be wearing house shoes which were too short, resulting in broken-down counters and a shuffling gait.

SANITARIES AND BATHS.

All have shower baths. In three of the schools these are used once a week in cool weather and twice a week in summer, with a feet-washing midway between. Two schools require bathing twice a week. The Suffolk School uses its showers every night. The Hampden School has tubs in a dark basement, used weekly.

Most of the schools supply individual towels, soap, tooth-brushes and aluminum combs.

The urinals and toilets are fairly satisfactory, except in the Hampden School, where they are inadequate. In this building no amount of cleanliness and surveillance can render the equipment proper for the purpose of the school.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

None of the schools gives its boys systematic physical training or employs a physical instructor. The Essex and the Worcester schools have space which, with proper equipment, would serve for gymnasia. These are now used for indoor playrooms. Many of the boys are undersized and poorly developed, and would benefit from intelligent physical training.

RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION.

The Catholic boys in all six institutions receive instruction once a week from a visiting priest. In the Norfolk School a non-sectarian service is held every Sunday afternoon, which is open to ministers of all denominations. The boys in the five other schools are taken each Sunday in two squads to a Catholic and a Protestant church, respectively.

ROUTINE WORK.

Practically all the housework and most of the outside work on the farms and in the barns is performed by the boys under the supervision of the various matrons and men. For the most part, some particular chore or section of the work is assigned to each

boy on his arrival, and unless he is changed because he does not fit in well, he is likely to continue with the same work throughout his stay. In one or two schools there is some attempt to change the boys around every six months; but in the main, the policy is to keep the machinery of the institution running smoothly by retaining the boys on the chores which they have learned to do well. Most of the schools keep a squad of boys at work waxing floors, an occupation looked upon as a legitimate part of the upkeep of the institution, and also as exercise for the boy.

SCHOOLING.

The Essex institution gives its boys about three hours of school work each day; the first four grades have five sessions and the last four grades but four sessions each week. There are eight grades and each of the two teachers has two grades at one time.

The Middlesex boys have a three-hour session, with the exception of those in the first two grades, who have four and one-half hours a day. Two teachers have three grades each at a time, and one teacher two grades.

Worcester has but two and one-half hours per day in the schoolroom, with one teacher in charge. She is assisted by two pupils from the normal school who are changed every six weeks. There are nine grades in the school.

The Hampden and Norfolk boys have four and one-half hours and the Suffolk boys four hours and forty minutes each day in school.

The Hampden School has sessions the year round, a substitute being employed in summer to allow the regular teacher the usual vacation. There are seven grades.

Norfolk employs two teachers for its six grades, and Suffolk seven teachers. In the latter school classes below the third grade are styled "ungraded."

About 380 boys, or 81 per cent. of the whole number, are below grade, according to their system of rating, which, in the majority of the institutions, is not as strict as that used in city schools. There are 171 boys, or 35.8 per cent. of the present inmates of the six schools, who will probably never get above

the sixth grade, even though they remain until they are sixteen years of age, — the legal limit of commitment. This means that a large number, in all probability, will not have sufficient education to hold their own in the business world. A number of the boys have all the appearance of being feeble-minded.

The following table shows the ages and grades of the 477 boys in the six schools: —

TABLE IV.

AGE	GRADES										Totals
	Un-graded	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	
7 to 8	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
8 to 9	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4
9 to 10	9	3	3	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	20
10 to 11	-	5	7	11	8	1	-	-	-	-	32
11 to 12	1	2	5	14	15	14	4	-	-	-	55
12 to 13	-	2	5	12	16	10	12	2	3	-	62
13 to 14	-	2	3	8	21	25	26	12	4	1	102
14 to 15	1	-	2	12	11	19	19	21	19	-	104
15 to 16	-	-	1	8	7	16	19	17	19	1	88
Totals	12	17	27	68	79	85	81	52	45	2	468 ¹

¹ Seven unaccounted for in Worcester School and 2 in Suffolk School.

From a study of this table it is apparent that if one grade per year be assumed to be the rate of progress, all those cases falling immediately under the diagonal line, 90 in number, may reach the sixth grade at the age limit for detention, but will not get beyond. In the same manner 42 may reach the fifth grade, but will get no higher in the school; 25 will not exceed fourth grade; 12 must stop at third grade and 2 will still be in second grade at the date of discharge. Adding the totals, therefore, there are 171 boys, or 35.8 per cent. of all the inmates of these schools on the days of inspection, who at the age of sixteen will have advanced not farther than the sixth grade, and this even though the average age at commitment was eleven years, ten months. The average child in the public schools of Massachusetts reaches sixth grade at the age of eleven to twelve years.

MANUAL TRAINING.

The Essex and Suffolk County schools teach sloyd, using models. About 60 boys in the former school have such training. In the Suffolk County School the boys of the third and fourth grades have two hours per week, while those in the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth grades have four hours per week.

In the Middlesex and Worcester County schools the boys are taught to make many of the wooden articles required in the institutions, and to repair the furniture and farm implements.

These four schools have good facilities for their work, the Worcester School having built a new workshop this year. The Hampden County School has some instruction in sloyd, but is entirely without facilities; the boys work on their school desks, and the result is not better than whittling.

The Norfolk County School gives no instruction. The Worcester School gives the younger children so-called "construction work," which consists in the making of cardboard articles. The training is of doubtful value.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING.

Very little of the work appears to have been developed to the point where it gives the older boys vocational training. The sewing is largely patching and darning, some of the boys doing machine stitching on undergarments and overalls; and the farming, like the rest of the work, is so largely made up of chores that it probably gives no real training and leads to no special liking for the kind of work represented. In the Essex County School some four to six boys receive instruction in printing, and a few are taught cobbling and shoemaking. The superintendent plans to teach some of the boys shoemaking. In Middlesex and Worcester the boys secure practical carpentry and repair work under the guidance of special teachers.

OPPORTUNITIES TO EARN MONEY.

The Worcester School is the only one which gives its boys an opportunity to earn money. At that school each boy is allowed to hire a plot of ground and buy seeds from the superintendent

on credit. He then sells the produce to the school. After his debts are paid the balance is placed to his credit, to be spent by him at the County Fair in the fall.

RECREATION.

The boys in these schools average about two hours' play in the open in good weather. This time is broken up into shorter periods on school days and is spent in ball playing, marbles, skating, etc., according to the season. In a number of the schools one or more of the officers take part, but none is experienced as an organizer of boys' games. On Sundays, in most of the schools, the boys are taken for a walk.

The facilities for indoor play in bad weather are fairly good in all but the Hampden and Norfolk County schools. The boys in the latter institution have nothing but the basement lavatory, which is too small and has a bad floor. In consequence, several minor accidents have occurred when boys were playing rough games.

The Essex and Suffolk schools have reading rooms and a fair supply of reading matter, their collections of books being supplemented by supplies from the public library. The Middlesex School has from 50 to 100 books in the reading rooms in each cottage. The Hampden School has about 300 books, but no reading room. The Norfolk School has 200 books; the only reading room is a small apartment adjoining the schoolroom and insufficient to accommodate the whole group. The Worcester School has but few books apart from school texts, and no special reading room.

The Essex and Middlesex schools have bands. The former school has a swimming pool.

The Essex boys who attain the highest rank in conduct, school work, etc., are taken to the theatre once a month. The Suffolk boys are taken to the theatre or to special events as a reward of merit. The Hampden, Norfolk and Worcester schools have fewer entertainments.

DISCIPLINE.

All the schools use corporal punishment on occasion, the superintendents usually administering it in person. The institutions which allow subordinates to punish boys thus, require a report

in each case, or a witness in case the strokes exceed a certain number. Several of the schools still make culprits stand on line.

At the Hampden, Middlesex and Suffolk schools bad behavior means failure to earn merits and a postponement of release. In the other schools it means, rather, a loss of privileges. This last plan seems much more wholesome, and helps the boys to feel that positive goodness is desirable rather than a negative attitude which is chiefly interested in escaping censure.

RELEASE ON PAROLE, DISCHARGE, AND AFTER CARE.

The Essex, Norfolk and Worcester schools parole boys under sixteen when the superintendents, in their discretion, so recommend. In the three other schools the boys must earn a certain number of merits, a process which averages about one and a half years' time. It may be merely a coincidence that the schools having the latter system had the largest number of runaways during the past year, Suffolk heading the list with 61 boys and Middlesex following with 31. The schools which do not follow this plan averaged 3 to 6 cases. It is a fair question whether the marking system does not savor of the reformatory and disregard the individual. The clever little rogue is often able to earn good marks more rapidly than the boy who is honest but careless in many points which count in the marking. The mere accumulation of marks does not always indicate improvement in character. Good marks should, instead, bring increased privileges, while the release of the boy ought to depend on his real progress and, what is of even more importance, the kind of home which is to receive him.

The parole system is weak in the matter of after care, as the schools, with the exception of Suffolk and Middlesex, are entirely without the proper machinery to investigate the homes and to supervise the boys when returned to them. In many cases it is a waste of money to maintain the boy for a limited time in a training school only to send him, when he shows signs of steadiness, into the very conditions and among the same people who were the cause of his delinquency. Many of the boys have homes which will never be fit to receive them; and

unless the superintendents can take time from important work in the institution to find other places for these boys they remain indefinitely in the school or are sent to their unfit homes. The Essex School washes its hands of part of the problem by discharging some of the boys who leave, even though they are under sixteen years. Such discharged cases, even though they turn out worse than before, cannot come back to the school without first repeating their original experience in court.

CONCLUSIONS.

Viewing the six institutions fairly on a basis of careful inspection, the Board reaches the following conclusions: —

1. The Hampden School should provide a better dietary, nightshirts, proper bathing facilities and sanitarines, and abolish the attic dormitory. Probably nothing short of a new building will solve the question of proper accommodations for this school.

The Norfolk School needs space for indoor recreation.

Worcester School should abolish the attic dormitory and the strong room in the cellar, though not now in use; separate the younger boys into a cottage group by themselves; and provide individual soap, combs, toothbrushes, and properly fitting house shoes.

2. The care and education of these boys involves a due regard for certain standards which should commend themselves as reasonable to the several counties, so long as they see fit to maintain these training schools. Thus —

- (1) There should be a complete separation of the younger from the older boys, regardless of the increased cost of the cottage plan in dollars and cents. The commingling of the boys in one group *must* result in moral harm to the younger ones in spite of the closest supervision.

- (2) Each boy, upon entrance, should be examined by a physician and should be given medical care if necessary. A regular medical inspection of all the boys should be made at least once a year, and dental examinations at least once in six months. The entering boys should have a mental examination in order that those found to be feeble-minded may be transferred to proper institutions.

(3) The dietary should be sufficiently abundant and varied, particularly in milk and meat, to keep the boys well nourished. Green vegetables might be raised by the pupils in their own garden plots and sold to the school, which would give them an opportunity to earn and expend money as well as enrich the bill of fare. The groups at the tables should be small and a reasonable amount of conversation should be allowed.

(4) Nearly all these boys are behind in their grades. Presumably one of the objects in committing truants and school offenders to the training schools is to remedy backwardness in studies. It follows, therefore, that the teachers employed should be thoroughly competent to teach backward children, and that the groups should be small enough to permit of much individual work. The subjects should be taught by methods which would relate them as much as possible to the rest of the work; arithmetic, especially, would lend itself to such treatment. The school work would thus become more interesting and useful.

(5) A good system of industrial training should be introduced for the older boys. The majority of the 88 boys now in the six schools who are between fifteen and sixteen years of age (51 of whom are in grades below the seventh), must shortly be discharged without any special training which will make it easier for them to become self-supporting.

If the time given to waxing floors and other work, which is invented largely to keep the boys busy and exercised, were devoted to industrial training, the boys would benefit and the institutions would not suffer greatly.

(6) The boys should receive good physical training under leaders skilled in boys' club work, who could organize and supervise their play as well as their exercise. The physical labor which the boys perform is not a good substitute for an intelligent system of physical development which they need.

(7) Marks for good conduct should give the boy certain privileges and not automatically procure his release. Release should depend partly upon progress and partly upon the certainty that he will go into a good home.

(8) Adequate machinery should be provided which will insure the investigation of the home before the boy is returned to

it; the finding of a home, when necessary; and a friendly oversight of the boy while on parole and until he is on his feet.

(9) Finally, more careful case work is needed in the courts from which these boys are committed. Careful investigation by competent probation officers would disclose many cases, especially among the younger children, where appropriate aid and oversight in the family, or the placement of the child in another home, would prevent committal to the training school. Others, again, who are feeble-minded, would receive proper care, instead of relegation to these schools in appreciable numbers. And, further, when a case for institutional training did come before the court he would not be sent to an institution unless it were equipped to give the care and training which would tend to make him a useful citizen.

Viewing the inspection at a glance, the Board finds six superintendents striving loyally, and with a high degree of efficiency, to make the best of a system of county institutional care which is not in accord with the best methods in the care and protection of children.

SUPERVISION OF THE SETTLED POOR RELIEVED OR SUPPORTED BY CITIES AND TOWNS.

THE CITY AND TOWN PAUPERS.

The law provides that the State Board of Charity may visit and inspect all places where city or town poor are supported in families, and requires the Board to visit, at least once a year, not only all children who are maintained by the Commonwealth, but all minor children who are supported at the expense of any city or town. Children illegally retained in city or town almshouses, — *i.e.*, pauper children over two years of age, or, if the mothers are inmates, over three years of age, and not defective in body or mind, who have been retained in an almshouse for more than two months, — must be removed therefrom and placed at board at the expense of the city or town concerned (Revised Laws, chapter 81, sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 43; Acts of 1905, chapters 285, 303; Acts of 1913, chapter 112).

The following data show numbers and location of the various classes of persons coming within the scope of this statute: —

THE SETTLED ADULT POOR PROVIDED FOR IN FAMILIES.

Of the 283 adult poor persons reported by the local authorities as fully supported in families on January 1, 1913, 4 were unknown, 32 had died, and 30 had been removed before visits could be made. The remaining 217 — 88 men and 129 women — were all visited and reported on by the Board's agents. They were supported by 89 cities and towns, as follows: Abington, 6; Agawam, 1; Amesbury, 1; Athol, 1; Avon, 1; Berlin, 1; Bolton, 1; Bourne, 1; Boxford, 1; Boylston, 1; Brewster, 7; Carver, 2; Charlton, 1; Chatham, 2; Chelsea, 11; Chilmark, 1; Clarksburg, 1; Dalton, 3; Danvers, 9; Dedham, 3; Douglas, 1; Dover, 1; Dracut, 1; Dudley, 1; Edgartown, 2; Everett, 8; Falmouth, 1; Fitchburg, 2; Great Barrington, 4; Hamilton, 1; Harwich, 3; Hinsdale, 3; Holbrook, 6; Ipswich, 3; Lakeville, 1; Lanesborough, 1; Lenox, 1; Littleton, 1; Ludlow, 1; Marion, 1; Melrose, 1; Mendon, 2; Merrimac, 5; Methuen, 1; Millbury, 3; Milton, 2; Mount Washington, 1; Natick, 2; Needham, 3; Newbury, 1; New Marlborough, 1; New Salem, 1; Newton, 2; Norfolk, 1; Northborough, 2; Norton, 1; Norwood, 9; Oak Bluffs, 7; Orange, 1; Petersham, 3; Pittsfield, 1; Plainville, 2; Plympton, 1; Princeton, 2; Quincy, 2; Randolph, 1; Rehoboth, 3; Revere, 8; Rowley, 1; Royalston, 2; Salem, 1; Saugus, 1; Scituate, 3; Sheffield, 3; Stoneham, 1; Stoughton, 1; Swampscott, 1; Swansea, 1; Templeton, 1; Topsfield, 1; Walpole, 2; Wellfleet, 4; Wenham, 1; West Newbury, 1; West Stockbridge, 3; West Tisbury, 2; Whitman, 16; Winthrop, 2; Yarmouth, 2.

Their ages were as follows: 3 between twenty-one and thirty; 12 between thirty and forty; 20 between forty and fifty; 34 between fifty and sixty; 52 between sixty and seventy; 55 between seventy and eighty; 33 between eighty and ninety; 6 between ninety and one hundred; and 2 whose ages were unknown. For their support there was paid in 12 cases less than \$2 per week; in 54 cases from \$2 to \$3 per week; in 79 cases from \$3 to \$4 per week; and in the remaining 72 cases — mostly of old and feeble persons — the rate varied from \$4 to \$10, according to the amount of care required. Of the

whole number, 65 per cent. were reported to be in fairly good or good physical condition, and 90 per cent. in good mental condition. In all but 7 cases, or 3 per cent., they were apparently receiving good care. There were 74 able to do light work, either in the house or about the premises. There were 28 supported in their own homes. In 108 cases, according to the reports, the Overseers of the Poor complied with the law requiring them to visit the paupers at least once in every six months; in 22 cases they made one visit a year; in 29 cases the record of visits was uncertain; in one case they made one visit in fourteen years; and in the remaining 57 cases no evidence of visits was found.

DEPENDENT MINOR CHILDREN WITH SETTLEMENT, PROVIDED
FOR IN ALMSHOUSES.

Visits were made in the cases of 140 children — 67 boys and 73 girls — reported to be cared for by the following cities and towns in their almshouses: Adams, 1; Blackstone, 1; Boston, 33; Cambridge, 4; Fairhaven, 1; Fall River, 10; Fitchburg, 1; Foxborough, 2; Gloucester, 3; Harwich, 1; Haverhill, 11; Holyoke, 3; Lawrence, 25; Lowell, 11; Lynn, 2; Marlborough, 1; Methuen, 1; Monson, 2; Northampton, 3; New Bedford, 2; Newburyport, 1; Pittsfield, 1; Salem, 5; Southbridge, 1; Springfield, 3; Wakefield, 1; Waltham, 1; Warren, 1; Watertown, 5; Weymouth, 1; Winchendon, 1; Woburn, 1. In addition to this number, 43 had been removed from the almshouse and 1 had died before the time of visitation. Of the number visited, 60 were so defective in body or mind as to render their retention in the almshouse desirable, and 4 were removed after notification by the Board to Overseers of the Poor that they were detained contrary to law. There were 3 who attended school.

DEPENDENT MINOR CHILDREN WITH SETTLEMENT, PROVIDED
FOR IN FAMILIES AND ASYLUMS.

Of the 742 children reported by the local authorities as fully supported outside of almshouses on January 1, 1913, 7 were unknown, 6 had died, and 144 had been removed before visits

could be made. The remaining 585 — 313 boys and 272 girls — were supported by 67 cities and towns, as follows: Abington, 6; Adams, 3; Amesbury, 1; Athol, 1; Becket, 2; Barnstable, 4; Berlin, 5; Boston, 360; Brockton, 3; Brookline, 1; Cambridge, 6; Cohasset, 1; Danvers, 2; Dartmouth, 4; Dedham, 1; Dover, 1; Edgartown, 1; Everett, 1; Fairhaven, 1; Falmouth, 8; Framingham, 1; Gardner, 3; Groton, 2; Hamilton, 1; Hanover, 1; Hanson, 1; Lawrence, 24; Lenox, 2; Littleton, 2; Lowell, 23; Lynn, 9; Marblehead, 2; Mashpee, 4; Medford, 3; Melrose, 2; Natick, 2; Needham, 1; New Bedford, 3; New Marlborough, 4; Newton, 7; North Adams, 4; Northampton, 1; North Attleborough, 5; Norwood, 20; Orange, 2; Oxford, 1; Peabody, 4; Petersham, 1; Pittsfield, 1; Quincy, 1; Royalston, 6; Russell, 1; Salem, 3; Saugus, 3; Scituate, 2; Shutesbury, 2; Somerville, 2; Stow, 1; Taunton, 3; Topsfield, 1; Wakefield, 1; Wellfleet, 1; West Springfield, 2; Weymouth, 1; Whitman, 5; Winchendon, 1; Woburn, 1.

Of the whole number, 67 were cared for and treated in public and private hospitals and asylums. There were 422 who attended school, and 157 who did more or less work. Of the whole number, 548 were in fairly good physical condition and 561 in fairly good mental condition. The price of board varied from less than \$1 per week to \$6.50 per week. These children were found to be well cared for; the few exceptions have been brought to the attention of the local overseers.

THE PENALTY INCURRED BY CERTAIN CITIES AND TOWNS FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THEIR PAUPER RETURNS DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1913.

Sections 39-42 of chapter 81 of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter 115 of the Acts of 1905, are as follows: —

SECTION 39. Overseers of the poor shall keep full and accurate records, in a form prescribed by the state board of charity, of the paupers fully supported, the persons relieved and partially supported, and the travellers and vagrants lodged at the expense of their cities and towns and of the amount paid for such support and relief.

SECTION 40. They shall annually in April, for the year ending

on the last day of March, return to the state board of charity the number of such persons supported and relieved, the cost thereof, and a record of those fully supported.

SECTION 41. In the year nineteen hundred and five and in every tenth year thereafter the return of the overseers of the poor shall contain true and correct answers to such additional inquiries as the state board of charity may deem it advisable to make.

SECTION 42. If the overseers of the poor of a city or town refuse or neglect to comply with the requirements of the three preceding sections, such city or town shall forfeit one dollar for each day's neglect, and the amount of such forfeiture shall be deducted from any amount to which said city or town may be entitled in reimbursement for relief of state paupers as provided in sections fifteen and sixteen of chapter eighty-five; and if no such reimbursement shall be due to said city or town, the forfeiture shall be deducted from any money which may be due to it from the Commonwealth.

Under these laws the Board reported to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth the names of the cities and towns that failed to make their pauper returns during the month of April, 1913, together with the amount of penalty incurred in each instance, as follows: Abington, \$4; Amesbury, \$1; Ashby, \$5; Ashfield, \$5; Barnstable, \$2; Hinsdale, \$5; Lee, \$6; Lincoln, \$12; Lynnfield, \$5; Nahant, \$1; New Braintree, \$2; Northfield, \$6; Palmer, \$4; Petersham, \$8; Sandwich, \$4; Shelburne, \$5; Shirley, \$4; Southborough, \$11; Tolland, \$5; Truro, \$4; Wendell, \$6; Westminster, \$1; Wrentham, \$159; total, \$265.

ADMINISTRATIVE DUTIES OF THE BOARD.

In addition to the duties of supervision and publicity above given, the Board is charged with certain duties entirely administrative. These are chiefly grouped under two heads, viz., State adult poor and State minor wards.

The administrative duties with reference to the State adult poor comprise the discharge of sane inmates of the State Infirmary and the State Farm; the execution of laws relative to the release on parole of prisoners at the State Farm; the investigation as to settlement of persons, possibly State cases, who have been supported, relieved, and buried by cities and towns,

and of sane inmates of State institutions; the directing of aid of unsettled persons by cities and towns; the transfer of sane paupers from one institution to another; the sending of paupers to the places within and without the State where they belong; and the management of the leper hospital at Penikese Island.

Report of Penikese hospital will be found at page 60 *ante*, under the heading of "Supervision," where it has been placed for better comparison with the State institutions which the Board supervises.

The administrative duties with regard to State minor wards comprise the maintenance and care of delinquent, neglected, and dependent children coming into the custody of the Board through court commitment and otherwise, and the execution of the laws concerning abandoned infants, and infant boarding-houses, and the licensing of lying-in hospitals.

THE STATE OUTDOOR POOR.

Numbers.

Unsettled persons in distress are aided in the first instance by the city or town in which they are so found. For purposes of administration, these State cases are divided into the following classifications: —

(a) The sick State poor (Revised Laws, chapter 85, sections 14, 15).

(b) Cases of dangerous diseases (Acts of 1902, chapter 213, amended by Acts of 1907, chapter 386, and Acts of 1909, chapter 380).

(c) Cases of wife-settlement (Revised Laws, chapter 80, section 1, chapter 85, section 16, amended by Acts of 1909, chapter 98).

(d) Cases of temporary aid (Revised Laws, chapter 81, section 21, amended by Acts of 1903, chapter 355, amended by Acts of 1912, chapter 331).

The statutes provide that the expense of such relief, following proper notice to the Board and approval after consideration, shall be reimbursed by the Commonwealth. In accordance with these laws 13,463 such notices were received during the official year from 224 cities and towns, on account of 27,027 persons

and 10,045 patients, a net increase of 351, or about 2 $\frac{3}{5}$ per cent. over the previous year. Of these notices 7,139, concerning 7,697 individuals, were on account of persons too sick to be removed; 2,427 notices, concerning 2,434 individuals, were on account of persons sick with dangerous diseases; 766 notices, concerning 3,462 individuals, were for cases of wife-settlement; and 3,131 notices, covering 13,434 individuals, were for temporary aid and transportation. Of the total number of notices above mentioned, 2,165, concerning 6,059 individuals, were in cases on account of which a previous notice had been received during the year.

(a) *Cases of Sick State Poor.* — The 7,139 notices of sick State poor were sent by 159 cities and towns, concerning 7,697 persons, of whom 7,157 were represented as being too ill to be removed. This number shows a net decrease in the number of notices from the previous year of 153, or about 2 per cent., and, as compared with the official year 1910–11, a decrease of 496, or about 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. The largest number of notices received in any one month was 713 in January; and the smallest, 494, in September. Of these, 7,139, or about 56 per cent., were from the city of Boston, viz., 3,956 from the Boston City Hospital, 8 from the Institutions Department, 42 from the Boston Lying-In Hospital, and 4 on account of persons aided in their homes. The number of visits made by the officers of the Board, in the investigation of these 7,139 notices, was 16,592. As a result of these investigations, the Overseers of the Poor were directed to discontinue aid in 2,229 cases, — on account of the recovery of the patient sufficiently to permit of his removal to the State Infirmary. In 319 aid was refused because at the time of the application the patient could have been removed without danger. Out of the 5,024 cases investigated by the visitors, settlements were found in 120, covering 134 persons. Among those reported as sick there were 524 deaths.

(b) *Cases of Dangerous Diseases.* — The number of notices received was 2,427, from 96 cities and towns, concerning 2,434 persons, all patients. These figures show a net increase of 209, or about 9 per cent., over the previous year, and, as compared with the year 1910–11, a decrease of 94, or about 4 per cent.

Of these 2,427 notices, 749, or about 31 per cent., were from the city of Boston. The following diseases were reported: anterior poliomyelitis, 5; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 10; chicken pox, 3; diphtheria, 578; leprosy, 4; measles, 169; ophthalmia neonatorum, 42; pertussis, 5; rabid dog bite, 2; scarlet fever, 495; smallpox, 53; tetanus, 2; trichinosis, 1; tuberculosis, 696; and typhoid fever 362. The number of visits made by the officers of the Board in these cases was 4,342, and of 1,581 new cases investigated settlements were found in 184, covering 184 persons.

(c) *Cases of Wife-settlement.* — The number of notices received was 766, from 60 cities and towns, concerning 3,462 persons, of whom 454 were sick. These figures show a net decrease in the number of notices as compared with the previous year of 91, or about $1\frac{1}{10}$ per cent., and, as compared with the year 1910-11, a decrease of 114, or about 13 per cent. Of these 766 notices, 303, or about 40 per cent., were from the city of Boston. As these 766 notices represent men whose families have settlements in some city or town within the Commonwealth, and 6 of these men were found to have a settlement, the total number aided by the State was 760, of whom 324 were sick. The number of visits made in these cases was 879. As a result of the visits, the local authorities were advised to discontinue aid in 3 cases. There were 246 new cases investigated by agents of the Board.

(d) *Cases of Temporary Aid.* — The number of notices received was 3,131, concerning 13,434 persons, from 170 cities and towns. The largest number of notices received in any one month was 810 in January; and the smallest number, 136, in June. The whole number shows a net increase, as compared with the preceding year, of 284, or about 10 per cent., and, with the year 1910-11, a decrease of 74, or about 2 per cent. Of these notices, 356, or about 11 per cent., were received from the city of Boston. The number of visits made under these notices was 3,660. There were 873 new cases investigated by the agents of the Board, and 166 settlements were found, covering 677 persons. As a result of visitation, aid was discontinued in 224 cases, and in 36 cases aid was refused.

Transportation has been furnished during the year to 110 persons; of these, 41 were sent to European countries, viz., Azores, 13; Italy, 12; England, 8; France, 5; Sweden, 3; 18 to Canada and other British Provinces; 51 to other States, viz., Connecticut, 2; Maine, 3; New Hampshire, 4; New Jersey, 2; Oregon, 3; Rhode Island, 13; Vermont, 20; Virginia, 4 (Revised Laws, chapter 81, section 21).

Transportation has also been provided for 35 shipwrecked seamen, from Chatham, Chilmark, Orleans, and Tisbury to Boston and Gloucester (Revised Laws, chapter 66, section 7).

Cost.

The number, amount, and allowance of the bills examined by the Board, on account of cases of sick State poor, wife-settlement, dangerous diseases, temporary aid, and burials, are shown in the following tabulation. It is to be noted that the total shown in this table may vary somewhat from the total paid out of the treasury during the fiscal year from the appropriation in question. This possible variance arises from the fact that bills audited by this Board are in some cases not actually paid during the year for which the audit is shown. For actual expenditures out of these respective appropriations see page 181.

CLASSES OF CASES	Bills	Claims	Allowance	Deduction
Sick State poor: —				
Boston City Hospital	3,268	\$34,372 45	\$25,911 28	\$8,461 17
Other cases	2,375	35,809 74	29,121 30	6,688 44
Wife-settlement	660	7,677 87	7,530 91	96 96
Dangerous diseases: —				
Boston City Hospital	530	17,721 15	15,345 03	2,376 12
Other cases	1,067	41,315 73	29,654 07	11,661 66
Temporary aid	2,402	53,698 79	49,999 99	3,698 80
Burial	791	8,819 40	8,189 75	629 65
Totals	11,093	\$199,415 13	\$165,802 33	\$33,612 80

The item for temporary aid in the above tabulation includes \$1,655.82 expended for transportation of the 110 State paupers above referred to, and \$70.23 for the conveyance of 35 shipwrecked seamen.

CLASSES OF CASES	New Cases investigated	Settlements found	Persons settled
Sick State poor	5,024	120	134
Dangerous diseases	1,581	184	184
Wife-settlement	246	6	6
Temporary aid	873	166	677
Burial	533	6	6
Totals	8,257	482	1,007

SETTLEMENT WORK.

The following table is a summary of the work done during the year, in the examination and in the investigation of settlements of inmates of the State institutions:—

INSTITUTIONS	Examinations	Cases entered for Investigation	Settlements	No Settlements	Withdrawn	Total Cases returned
State Infirmary	4,007	681	424	192	181	797
State Farm	5,172	53	38	10	21	69
Lakeville State Sanatorium	252	149	129	34	—	163
North Reading State Sanatorium	243	161	156	13	1	170
Rutland State Sanatorium	422	321	306	34	—	340
Westfield State Sanatorium	164	121	113	21	—	134
Massachusetts Hospital School	41	41	30	5	—	35
Danvers State Hospital	—	—	—	—	5	5
Foxborough State Hospital	—	—	4	2	7	13
Monson State Hospital	—	—	—	—	2	2
State Hospital (insane ward)	—	—	—	—	1	1
State Farm (insane)	—	—	—	—	2	2
Massachusetts School for the Feeble-minded	—	—	3	—	5	8
Taunton State Hospital	—	—	—	5	15	20
Worcester State Hospital	—	—	—	—	6	6
Westborough State Hospital	—	—	1	—	8	9
Office	240	—	—	—	—	—
	10,541	1,527	1,204	316	254	1,774

Cases pending November 30, 1912 774
 Cases pending November 30, 1913 527

REMOVALS.

The Board is charged with the duty of removing sane paupers to cities or towns within the State or, when not belonging in Massachusetts, to the State or place where they belong. The following table shows the removals made during the year:—

REMOVED TO —	REMOVED FROM —			
	State Infirmary	State Farm	Office	Totals
Other countries: —				
Austria Hungary	8	—	5	13
Brazil	—	—	4	4
Canada	37	—	11	48
Finland	4	—	—	4
France	—	—	2	2
Great Britain	15	2	13	30
Greece	5	—	1	6
Italy	5	—	5	10
Newfoundland	5	—	1	6
Norway	—	—	3	3
Portugal (Azores)	2	—	—	2
Russia	1	—	2	3
Sweden	2	—	—	2
Syria	1	—	—	1
Discharged to United States Commissioner of Immigration for deportation to various countries	44	—	—	44
Totals	129	2	47	178
Other States: —				
California	—	—	1	1
Connecticut	19	1	6	26
District of Columbia	2	—	—	2
Illinois	4	—	—	4
Maine	32	6	8	46
Maryland	2	—	1	3
New Hampshire	22	11	8	41
New Jersey	4	1	5	10
New York	15	7	13	35
North Carolina	2	—	—	2
Ohio	1	—	—	1
Pennsylvania	6	—	—	6
Rhode Island	10	12	6	28
South Carolina	2	—	—	2
Tennessee	—	1	—	1
Vermont	8	3	2	13
Virginia	4	—	—	4
Totals	133	42	50	225
Town of residence	1,919	4,541	69	6,529
	—	—	—	6,932

Summary of Removals.

	1912	1913
To other countries	155	178
To other States	249	225
To town of residence	6,743	6,529
Totals	7,147	6,932

THE AFTER CARE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN DISCHARGED BY
THE BOARD FROM THE STATE INFIRMARY.

The efforts of the Board's Committee on Social Service, which supervises this important work, have been continued throughout the year with increased energy. So varying are the problems and conditions that arise, that the committee has found it necessary to hold meetings biweekly, in addition to biweekly conferences of the chairman of the committee with the visitors at the State Infirmary. Another special visitor was appointed during the year, as well as a clerk having knowledge of the law. This latter appointment seemed especially advisable after experiencing the benefits derived from volunteer service furnished by the Harvard Legal Aid Society. The co-operation of the physicians and nurses assigned by the superintendent of the State Infirmary has been invaluable, as well as that of the numerous private charitable societies and agencies which have become interested.

The desire of the committee is —

Primarily. — To protect the welfare of the mothers and children and place them in such environment and under such supervision as will tend to develop them into useful and upright citizens.

Secondly. — To segregate the defective who is found to be a menace to the community.

Thirdly. — To enforce the responsibility of the husband or father.

It should be borne in mind that many of these unfortunate women have exhausted the patience and resources of private organizations, relatives or benevolent individuals, and appeal

for public relief in the last extremity; others became inmates in the hope of concealing the true facts from the community from whence they came, 17 women admitted during the year having given assumed names and 15 being in pregnant condition when they landed in the United States; 28 were infected with syphilis and 27 with gonorrhea.

During the year the committee has considered the cases of 213 women admitted with 135 children, in addition to 61 women (17 of whom were pregnant) with 64 children who were inmates at the beginning of the year. Of the admitted cases 139 women were pregnant accompanied by 23 children, and 74 were not pregnant, with 112 children. One hundred and twenty-eight of these women were unmarried, and may be classified as follows:—

Pregnant for the first illegitimate child	78
Pregnant for the second illegitimate child	18
Pregnant for the third illegitimate child	4
Pregnant for the fourth illegitimate child	3
Pregnant for the fifth illegitimate child	1
Pregnant and accompanied by the first illegitimate child . . .	19
Pregnant and accompanied by the first and second illegitimate children	2
Pregnant and accompanied by the second illegitimate child . . .	3
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	128

The 85 married women may be classified as follows:—

Pregnant with legitimate children	20
Not pregnant, with legitimate children	35
Not pregnant, with 6 illegitimate children	6
Pregnant for the first illegitimate child	15
Pregnant for the second illegitimate child	3
Pregnant for the third illegitimate child	2
Pregnant for the fourth illegitimate child	1
Pregnant for the fifth illegitimate child	1
Doubtful cases	2

There were 92 births (14 legitimate, 78 illegitimate); 9 women admitted were themselves illegitimate offspring; 63 of the cases under consideration landed in the United States within

the last three years, and 67 could not read or write; the average age of the single women was twenty-two years, the married women, twenty-eight years.

From a tabulation of 190 cases, it appears that only 33 were born in the United States, 10 of whom were colored and 14 of foreign parentage.

The occupations of these women were as follows:—

Domestics	67
Housewives	32
Waitresses	8
Hotel workers	2
Laundresses	6
Mill and factory operatives	73
Department store employees	2

The number discharged during the year was 196 women and 211 children, including 22 pregnant for whose confinement arrangements had been made outside the institution, and exclusive of 6 women and 18 children who died (11 of these children died of congenital syphilis). Seventy-one women with 100 children were discharged to relatives; 31 women with 31 children to private societies; 2 women with 5 children to friends; 10 women with 5 children to the city or town of legal settlement; 36 women with 33 children were placed at service at a wage of from \$2 to \$4 a week; 10 women with 12 children were deported; 6 women with 4 children were returned to other States; 11 women with 11 children were delivered to the United States Immigration Department for deportation; 2 mothers (minors) and 9 children were committed to the custody of the State Board of Charity; 5 women were committed to the mental wards of the State Infirmary; 1 woman was committed to the Monson State Hospital; 2 women were committed to the Wrentham State School; 9 women with 1 child absconded.

Five husbands were prosecuted for nonsupport, 2 receiving sentences, 3 placed on probation. Thirty warrants were issued by the courts for the apprehension of the putative fathers, and in 15 cases judicial consideration was given, paternity established and support ordered; 2 cases were settled out of court; and 5 cases, for which no warrant had been issued, were also

settled out of court. The application for the issuance of the warrants was in nearly every instance at the request of the unfortunate mother. Marriage was effected in 7 cases.

The large number of defectives in this class of patients necessitated the observation of 63 for feeble-mindedness or insanity. As a result, 2 were committed to the Wrentham State School, 5 to the mental wards of the State Infirmary, and 1 to the Monson State Hospital.

Seventy-one women and 86 children have continued under supervision since their discharge from the State Infirmary; 15 were replaced at housework; many cases were provided with medical care, and in numerous instances private societies and benevolent individuals were enlisted in the work of supervision.

Such follow-up work has unquestionably strengthened the sense of responsibility of the mother for her offspring, prevented future public dependency, and the separation of many children from the mother. Many of these women voluntarily return to the office of the Adult Poor Division for counsel and advice.

At the beginning of the year a letter was sent to every board of Overseers of the Poor in the Commonwealth requesting them to notify this Board, as early in affairs as possible, of the case of any pregnant girl or woman before sending her to the State Infirmary, believing that the younger and less sophisticated pregnant women might well be cared for in other ways than at a public hospital. Partially as a result of this suggestion, 82 applications for assistance or advice on cases of unmarried mothers were received from the Overseers of the Poor, societies, agencies, and individuals. The attempt was made to make provision outside the State Infirmary for such of these women as were pregnant the first time. Eighteen of the cases referred, being unacceptable to private societies because of disease or of previous similar offences, were admitted to the Infirmary. For the remaining 64, suitable arrangements were made outside of the institution. In this way not only did the State save at least \$1,800, but what is of greater moment, the less sophisticated girls received individual care.

MOTHERS' AID.

Families with Settlement.

Under the provisions of chapter 763, Acts of 1913 (see page 18, *ante*), "an act to provide for suitably aiding mothers with dependent children," which became operative September 1, 1913, the State Board of Charity is required, in its annual report to the Legislature, to make a separate report on the work done by the Overseers of the Poor in respect to such families in which all the members have a legal settlement in the Commonwealth.

During the three months ending November 30, 1913, the State Board of Charity received notices from 97 cities and towns of 1,150 mothers with 3,754 dependent children under fourteen years of age having legal settlement. This number included 819 widows with 2,648 dependent children.

As this law was enacted after the cities and towns had received their annual appropriations, many of them did not comply with this provision of law during the first three months, owing to lack of funds.

It was deemed unwise by the State Board to formulate definite policies until some observation could be made of the cases referred by the Overseers of the Poor. As a result of such observation, and our general knowledge of relief work, it was deemed expedient to outline the following working policies, which have been sent to every board of overseers in the Commonwealth:—

1. Aid granted should be of the kind best adapted to the needs of the individual family. In many cases a partial allowance of cash is desirable; but we would suggest that only in cases where the mother is intelligent and judicious should the full allowance be in cash. Cash allowances should be granted weekly, never monthly.

2. If there is illness in a family receiving relief under the provisions of chapter 763, Acts of 1913, which is temporary, requiring only medicine or a few doctor's visits, the medical relief or medicine should be granted under the provisions of the said act; but in cases of long-continued illness, or illness requiring hospital treatment, notice should be sent under the provisions of section 14, chapter 85, Revised Laws. Reimbursement by the Commonwealth for medical attendance in the home will be made in accordance with the provisions of chapter 292, Acts of 1909.

3. Section 4 provided in part: "This act shall apply to all mothers and their dependent children, whether or not they or any of them may have a settlement within the commonwealth, who shall have resided in the commonwealth not less than three years." Families who have not resided in the Commonwealth for three years subsequent to September 1, 1910, should not be considered as coming within the provisions of the act. If such a rule were not established, many families who were residents of Massachusetts years ago would return from other States for the express purpose of becoming beneficiaries under the act.

4. The law contemplates aid for families under a constructive plan for a definite period, or until such time as the dependent children have attained the age of fourteen years. Although the law provides *relief* and not *pensions*, the idea that animated its passage was that of granting to dependent mothers an income on which they may count while their children are below working age. The need which was urged before the Legislature, the illustrative cases brought forward to emphasize that need, were both such as would continue through a period of years. Such a "regular allowance differs from most material relief in other particulars than in the size, or even the regularity, of the relief. It represents a settled plan requiring a specified sum per week, the mother being informed of the plan, relieved from worry, and thus put in a position to adjust her expenses to her income." It seems wise for the present to consider only such cases as will, according to your best judgment, require relief for at least a period of one year. Other cases can be handled by private charities, by churches, or under the Temporary Aid Law.

5. It is important that the law should not serve as a palliative for desertion. It therefore seems unwise to consider an application under this act until after one year has elapsed since the desertion occurred, and the mother has shown her desire to ameliorate conditions by requesting the court to issue a warrant for nonsupport under the provisions of chapter 456 of the Acts of 1911 and amendments thereto. We should use our influence to strengthen the sense of responsibility for children by making the lot of the deserting father less, and not more, eligible.

6. The mother should not discontinue her employment unless it is apparent her health is being impaired, or the children require more personal supervision. In many instances it may be desirable to arrange for a different kind of employment, or discontinuance of service for a portion of the week. There are undoubtedly relatives or other reliable persons living with many of these families who can give the dependent children proper attention during the mother's absence. To insist that the mother shall not work, re-

gardless of home conditions, would tend to discourage that desire for thrift and independence which is an essential element in society. The policy should be stimulative, and constructive rather than destructive.

7. The Board suggests that before granting aid to any mother with illegitimate children, the overseers consult with the superintendent of the Division of State Adult Poor. The presumption is against aiding such mothers under this law, since to do so would offend the moral feeling of respectable mothers, and would thus do violence to a traditional sentiment that is inseparable from a respect for virtue.

8. If the applicant has funds to an appreciable amount, the State Board of Charity would appreciate a reference of the case for consideration prior to the granting of aid. The Board believes that unless a definite protective plan can be formulated by the overseer whereby a certain amount can be dispensed by a trustee, or otherwise, according to the need of each individual case, the case should not be considered as coming within the provisions of the act.

9. If the applicant has an equity to an appreciable amount in the real estate upon which the family resides, the State Board would appreciate a reference of the case for consideration before aid is granted.

10. To carry out the intent of this law, which applies only to those families providing a proper environment for the dependent children, the Board decides that the presence of male lodgers presents dangers incompatible with the best interests of the family; and declines, as a rule, to reimburse in such cases. The Board prefers, if necessary, to reimburse, in accordance with the law, for additional relief granted to meet the reduction of income caused by such removal.

In general the overseers are conforming to these policies as well as could reasonably be expected during this initiative period, and owing to their large experience in relief work, will undoubtedly administer this law more wisely and efficiently than could have been expected of a new organization.

Greater consideration should be given to the ways and means of preventing public dependency if desired results are to be effected. Therefore it seems desirable that every board of overseers should secure the services of one or more persons thoroughly trained in methods of investigation; such service could be either paid or volunteer. The community should also insist upon the election of overseers who are particularly interested in the social welfare and have the necessary leisure.

Special consideration should be given to the quality and suitability of food supplies and the method of dispensing them; the nutritious, as well as the economic value, should be considered.

The Board believes that effective help for the needy is conditional upon close and cordial co-operation between public and private agencies, and that the overseers should endeavor to obtain a closer relationship. "Co-operation" between charities includes either or both of two sorts of relationship; the agencies may divide among them the needy families, agreeing not to trespass on each other's cases; or they may consult and work together on the same cases. A division of the field of work is a business arrangement often necessary to economy of effort. On the other hand, public and private charities need to consult with each other on the treatment of the individual cases in order that each may profit by the other's point of view. The private charity that holds aloof becomes narrow, provincial; the public charity that tries to be sufficient unto itself ends by giving perfunctory care to its charges. Because of the privilege which private charities have of limiting the amount of their work, they can often exercise closer supervision over their cases than is possible to public visitors. Either associated charities, children's societies, district nursing associations, churches, — these and many others may further the work of the overseers by visiting and by keeping the overseers informed of home conditions in the intervals of official visits.

Section 7 of the said act provided: "for the purpose of reimbursing the cities and towns, as provided in the foregoing section, there shall be appropriated from the treasury of the Commonwealth the sum of fifty thousand dollars for the operations of the first year." Notwithstanding this provision of law, no funds were appropriated by the Legislature of 1913. The Legislature of 1914 will be requested to appropriate an amount sufficient to provide for reimbursement by the Commonwealth for the operations of the three months ending November 30, 1913.

Families without Settlement.

In view of the provisions of sections 5 and 6 of the act the details of the Board's supervision were referred to the Division of State Adult Poor, under the direction of the Board's Com-

mittee on Social Service. For the purpose of carrying out the intent of the law the Board has employed a supervisor, a woman of large experience in charitable work; five visitors, women not only experienced investigators, but with personalities insuring a tactful handling of the problem, and adequate clerical and stenographic service.

The Board has held public hearings with private charities and boards of overseers of the poor throughout the Commonwealth, and will continue to do so. The Board's Committee on Social Service has held frequent meetings and kept in close touch with the operation of the law. During the three months ending November 30, 1913, this Board received notices from 97 cities and towns of 1,150 mothers with 3,754 dependent children under fourteen years of age, having legal settlement, including 819 widows with 2,648 dependent children; and from 36 cities and towns of 153 women with 477 dependent children under fourteen years of age, having no settlement, including 79 widows with 233 dependent children.

Since the issuance of certain definite policies formulated by the Board after careful observation of the cases referred by the overseers, a large number of the cases have been found to be unsuitable, and the overseers notified that they should be relieved in other ways or through other relief laws. The Board believes that relief should be administered according to general policies. Those thus far established by the Board have been incorporated in the foregoing report on the work done by the Overseers of the Poor in respect to settled families.

Since the people who may benefit by this act will inevitably adapt their lives to the conditions under which they can receive help, they should know what these conditions are. The policies according to which public authorities administer the ample relief provided for in this law will have an educational influence, not only upon beneficiaries, but upon all those families that are on the border line of need. This influence will be wholesome in proportion to the wisdom shown by the overseers and the State Board of Charity. Obviously no one can draw an arbitrary line between a fit and an unfit mother. The extremes of fitness or unfitness all will agree upon. It is the doubtful cases about which questions would arise. Since this aid which the

public gives is adequate, the Board feels that we can ask a fairly high standard of character and home care from the mothers. With such a reward in view, it is a poor sort of woman who will not do well. The public authorities can make adequate relief a powerful lever to lift and keep mothers to a high standard of home care. If we grant the aid to any woman whose care of her children will just pass muster, we throw away a chance to make these women improve. If, on the contrary, we make relief under this law conditional upon a fairly high standard of home care, we shall find that the mothers will rise to this standard. The fact is that a mother of little children who will not attend conscientiously to their diet, cleanliness, health and conduct for the sake of an adequate income, steadier possibly than were her husband's wages, is not the sort of woman Massachusetts wants to help under this act. In fine, possible and actual beneficiaries will adapt themselves to the conditions which attend the receipt of this relief. We can hardly exaggerate the beneficent influence which a relief policy, administered always with broad educational aims in mind, may exercise on the people of the State. The Board believes the Legislature showed wise forethought in safeguarding the taxpayers of the Commonwealth by placing the local administration of this law with the Overseers of the Poor, rather than create independent relief agencies at large expense.

It is to be regretted that the agitation for so-called widows' pensions should have become so fixed in the public mind that the present law is looked upon as a pension act or annuity rather than a relief measure. The opportunity for learning the causes of dependency was never so ample as under this law, and the Board will devote as much time as possible to such research. In this connection we would emphasize the value of information on record with private charities, and the need of their co-operation. The disposition on the part of a few private charities to shift the burden of responsibility for their cases after this law became operative was most ill advised. In general, the private charities are disposed to make no change in their attitude, and have been of invaluable assistance to this Board. The operation of this law presents problems closely allied to housing and health conditions, and is already proving to be an

important lever in creating better living standards. Owing to the lack of civic organization in some sections of the Commonwealth, the Board feels the necessity of developing a community interest, hoping to uncover resources that will undoubtedly assist in removing some of the burdens now imposed upon the taxpayers.

For the purpose of reimbursing the cities and towns for the operations of the three months ending November 30, 1913, and the ensuing fiscal year ending November 30, 1914, the Board has estimated that \$175,000 will be necessary.

ALIEN IMMIGRANTS.

Under the operation of the rules laid down by the Federal Department of Commerce and Labor governing reimbursement by the United States government to States for aid rendered to indigent alien immigrants who have fallen into distress within a year after landing, the Board reported to the Commissioner of Immigration, during the year ending November 30, 1913, 59 cases of such immigrants, of which 30 were verified and allowed. Of the remaining 29, 12 were not verified, 1 was discharged from hospital before investigation by the United States officials, 3 were withdrawn, 1 died, 2 were found not to have landed within the year, 5 absconded, 1 was discharged before notice was received, and 4 cases were not allowed. Of the 30 cases allowed, 9 were Boston landings, 3 Providence, 4 Vancorbora, Me., 12 New York, and 2 Newport, R. I. The amount received by the Board and transmitted to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth during the year was \$1,090. This covered 31 cases, as follows:—

PLACE OF AID	Number of Cases	Amount
State Infirmary	28	\$908 57
Lawrence Tuberculosis Hospital	2	150 00
Cambridge Tuberculosis Hospital	1	31 43
Total	31	\$1 090 00

CHILDREN IN THE CARE AND CUSTODY OF THE BOARD.

By reference to the tables on page 146, *et seq.*, it will appear that at the beginning of the last official year, December 1, 1912, there were 5,222 children in the care and custody of the Board, — 377 delinquent children, 29 wayward children, 2,967 neglected children, and 1,849 dependent children. There were 850 children received during the year, viz., 141 delinquent children, 14 wayward children, 402 neglected children, and 293 dependent children. The total number under care during the year was, therefore, 6,072. There were 578 discharged, viz., 114 delinquent children, 3 wayward children, 265 neglected children, and 196 dependent children. At the close of the year, November 30, 1913, there remained in charge of the Board, therefore, 5,494 children, classified as: delinquent children, 404; wayward children, 40; neglected children, 3,104; and dependents, 1,946. Of the 6,072 children under care, 5,115 were over three years of age and were cared for as follows: in places receiving wages, 735; in places free of expense to the State for board, 561; in places partly supported by the State, 90; in places fully supported by the State, 3,130; at the State Infirmary and other institutions, not penal, subject to care and treatment, 441; married, 11; and whereabouts unknown, 147.¹

Children under Three Years of Age.

The total number of infants in charge of the Board at the beginning of the official year December 1, 1912, was 373; the number received during the year was 256, making the whole number supported by the State 629. There remained at the close of the official year, November 30, 1913, 379 infants. Of the 629 infants supported, 5 were legally adopted; 159 were transferred, having reached the age of three years; 36 were

¹ In addition to these 5,494 children, the Board had under supervision and visitation, November 30, 1913, 439 inmates of the Lyman School for Boys; 305 inmates of the State Industrial School for Girls; 179 inmates of the Industrial School for Boys; 1,113 boys and 345 girls in the custody of the Trustees for Massachusetts Training Schools outside of the schools; 123 boys and 76 girls, inmates of the Massachusetts Hospital School; 86 boys and 126 girls, inmates of the four State sanatoria; 70 boys and 143 girls, inmates of the State Infirmary, who are either young infants with their mothers or else under hospital treatment; 481 inmates of the county training schools, and 688 children supported at the expense of the cities and towns; making, approximately a total of 9,668 children in the care and custody and under the supervision of the Board.

discharged to relatives and 1 to a friend; 8 to places of settlement; 1 to court; 1 was discharged and placed in the Home for Destitute Catholic Children by order of the court; 2 were discharged on bail; and 37 died. Thirteen of the remaining 379 were in free homes.

Eighty-five of the 256 infants received were committed by the Overseers of the Poor, and 10 by the superintendent of the State Infirmary, under the provisions of section 20, chapter 83 of the Revised Laws. Twenty-nine of this number were foundlings and the remainder indigent infants, having no known settlement in the Commonwealth. Sixty-eight children were received under section 36, chapter 83, and 93 were committed as neglected under the provisions of chapter 334 of the Acts of the year 1903, as amended by chapter 131 of the Acts of the year 1909.

The medical visitors and their assistants made 5,096 visits. This number includes visits to infant wards boarded in families, investigation of homes of applicants for infant wards to board, and inspection of homes of applicants for licenses to board infants; also physical examination of children at this office and at the Nursery.

There were 296 children admitted to the Nursery.

The percentage of mortality for the year for the whole number of children supported was 5.88.

Two hundred and three of the 629 children supported during the year were under one year of age. Thirty of this number died, making the percentage of deaths for infants under one year of age, 14.77.

The mortality was about the same as last year. Of the 37 deaths, 12 were at the State Infirmary, and 7 of the 12 died of congenital syphilis.

There has been a notable increase in the number of foundlings in the last two years. In 1911 there were 7; in 1912, 25; and this year, 29.

Most of the visiting of children under three years of age is done by the two registered nurses. They direct the boarding women in the general care of the infants, and especially in the preparation of food prescribed for each when they are sent out to board. They report cases needing hospital treatment and

arrange for admission. They visit and report on homes of women who apply for children under three years of age to board; and also inspect homes of applicants for licenses to maintain boarding-houses for infants. The applications for licenses are received from all parts of the State.

The Nursery, at 19 Pinekney Street, for the temporary care of infants and examination of all children received by the Department, is convenient and satisfactory. The matron and her assistant, besides caring for the infants, look after the examining rooms and attend to the transportation of diseased infants to the State Infirmary.

Children over Three Years of Age.

Children over three years of age in care of the Department November 30, 1913, numbered 5,115. This number includes 3,012 children between the age of three and twelve, 1,256 boys over twelve, and 847 girls over twelve.

There have been few changes in the system within the year. Perhaps the most important is the accomplishment of a plan formulated last spring by which all girls above the age of twelve years are placed in one group. Each visitor in this group has under supervision an average of 70 girls, a number too large to insure the best results for each girl, especially when we consider the many difficult and defective cases we are obliged to receive.

In the supervision and care of older boys the same difficulty exists. Each visitor has too many boys assigned to his care for him to obtain the best results in placing and directing them, as well as in assisting them to secure the most profitable and congenial employment.

About 47 per cent. of our boys and girls over fourteen years of age who are attending school are being boarded at the expense of the State. Suitable homes in which children may be placed without payment of board, and at the same time allowed to attend school, are not readily found, and we have come to realize that too great a demand is placed upon a child of fourteen years who, in addition to his school duties, is obliged to earn his board and clothing by work on the farm or in the home outside school hours.

In spite of obstacles, we are gratified at the progress being made in educational advantages for our boys and girls. The following table is self-explanatory:—

Condition as to Support of Children over Fourteen Years attending School.

	GIRLS		BOYS	
	Number	Per Cent.	Number	Per Cent.
Receiving wages	10	3.3+	11	4.5+
Free of expense	98	33.1+	93	38.4+
Partially free	60	20.2+	14	5.8
Boarded	128	43.2+	124	51.2

There are 642 girls and 961 boys over fourteen years of age in our care. Of the 642 girls, as may be seen by this table, 296, or 46 per cent., are receiving an education in grammar, high, normal, trades schools, or academies. A study of this group shows that of 203 girls who are attending grammar school, 75 are especially worthy of mention because of excellent work and ambition to continue at school. Sixty-three girls are now in high school, all doing well, and deserving assistance in completing the course. The following are remarkable for scholarship and effort:—

C. M., thirteen years of age, three and one-half years in our care, first year in high school, heads her class in every study; is said by her teacher to have a remarkable mind, and has unusual ability. S. M. R., seventeen years of age, who came to us as a neglected child seven years ago, is a sophomore at high school; has led her class for past four years; is also a good musician. M. C. V., fourteen years, in our care since infancy, is a sophomore in city high school; has excellent reports. A. B., nineteen years old, in our care five years, sophomore; ambitious to become a teacher; principal gives excellent reports. F. S., eighteen years of age, in our care five and one-half years, graduated from high school with honors; taking graduate course in German. R. P., fifteen years old, in our care ten years; graduated from grammar school with honors; now junior at high school; has excellent reports. M. V., fourteen years old, in

care of State eleven years, is a sophomore at high school; excellent reports.

Thirty girls are doing satisfactory work in normal schools, commercial colleges and trades schools.

Although it is true that a majority of our girls are placed at housework, we have a large number who have shown tastes for other things, and we are gratified at their success in their chosen lines of work. Several who have shown ability and inclination have been assisted in securing the kind of work to which they are best adapted. Thirty-two girls are employed as follows: clerks, 3; bookkeepers, 3; stenographers, 3; teacher, 1; factory work (including corset, straw, and shoe factories), 15; training school for nurses, 4; telephone school, 1; dress-making, 2.

Of the 961 boys over fourteen years of age, 242, or 25 per cent., are receiving an education, the majority in grammar schools. Those who have exceptional ability and ambition have been given opportunity to attend high school, and one boy is now working his way through college. Thirty-four are at high school doing satisfactory work. Of this group, some worthy of mention are: J. Y., a splendid boy, nineteen years old, is a senior in high school; is said by principal to be the best influence in the school; hopes to enter Massachusetts Agricultural College next year. A. V. G., eighteen years old, is a junior at high school doing fine work; expects to enter college and become professor of modern languages. J. B., twenty years old, in high school, doing excellent work; has won scholarship. J. V., eighteen years old, senior at high school; a fine student and captain of basket ball team. A. R., seventeen years, senior at high school, expects to enter college next year. E. G. H., sixteen years, third year preparatory school; is planning to go to Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

A large percentage of the boys are placed on farms, but many have shown a disinclination for farm work and have been assisted in securing more congenial employment. Several boys are serving apprenticeships at the following trades: plumber, roofer, machinist, iron worker, electric work. Others have secured employment in factories (shoe, leather, rubber, straw, and tack) or as chauffeurs or railroad employees. Especially

worthy of mention as having met with success in their chosen lines are a telegraph operator averaging \$20 a week; an operator in a shoe factory earning \$12 a week, has \$315 in the bank; a tack maker, seventeen years old, earning \$10.50 a week, has saved nearly \$100; a skilled worker at sewing machine company earning \$21 a week.

The situation with reference to the feeble-minded remains much the same as last year. Seven have been admitted to the schools for the feeble-minded, and applications are on file for 311 more. As a new building has been completed at Wrentham we have been notified that 60 children may be admitted the coming month. While this brings some relief, it is by no means adequate. To protect the community, 152 who are low grade and markedly defective have been placed at the State Infirmary while awaiting transfer to the schools; 159 are being cared for in small family groups, each containing from 3 to 10 children. We have been fairly successful in securing for this task competent caretakers who look after the physical and material needs of the child, but it is impossible to provide suitable training for them.

It is earnestly hoped that adequate provision will soon be made for all these defective children, as it is well known that most defectives are a menace to themselves as well as to others with whom they come in contact.

Investigating Department.

The Investigating Department, in addition to the work on admission and discharge of children under sections 20 and 36 of chapter 83, Revised Laws, has made during this year several investigations for the discharge of neglected children. There has also been an increasing amount of work on court cases where provision seemed to be necessary for the children as dependents, although they had been originally brought to the attention of the court as neglected. A continuance in such cases is secured pending the investigation, and usually other provision than commitment to the Board is made.

The investigation of unsettled cases committed by the Overseers of the Poor under section 20, chapter 83, Revised Laws,

has been more thorough than in previous years. Ninety-five children under three years of age were so committed, — 29 foundlings, 40 deserted, and 26 indigent children. There were sufficient clues to warrant work by the investigating visitor on three of the foundling cases. In two instances the relatives were located and the children discharged. In the third instance a brief history of the child was obtained. Five of the 40 deserted children have been discharged to relatives and the discharge of 5 is pending. Wherever it was impossible to discharge the children to parents on account of moral or mental unfitness, complete histories were obtained and contribution to support procured. One Polish mother was deported with her child. Upon investigation 2 of the children who had been committed as unsettled were found to have settlements, and the Overseers of the Poor in both instances are reimbursing. The 26 indigent children were known to the investigating visitors prior to commitment, and in all but 2 cases commitment had been advised by the visitor. Five of these children have been discharged to relatives, discharges for 3 are pending, and the fathers are paying partial support for 3. Complete histories have been obtained with the exception of one case.

It is encouraging to note in connection with the work with deserted children that only 4 out of 40 cases reported but not committed needed to be cared for by public charity. The visitors have been able, with the assistance of the police, postal authorities, lying-in hospitals, birth records, public and private charitable societies, etc., to locate parents or relatives, and supervision and assistance have been obtained for the parents in caring for their children. In only 3 cases was it necessary to take legal proceedings for abandonment. One child placed out by the Board of Children's Guardians of Washington, D. C., was returned to that society. The bills due the boarding women ranged from \$3 to \$4 for a few weeks' board, to as high as \$150. The ages of the children varied from one or two months to fifteen or sixteen years. Though the Board can take no action in collecting money due the boarding women, it has been through the visitors' instrumentality that all but 5 of the 40 children reported have been removed. The removal of such

children has meant a return to normal relations between parents and children, and has often resulted in married mothers being willing to give up their work in factories or restaurants to establish themselves in their own homes. The laws for the protection of infants have done much to regulate the care of children at board under two years of age. There is, however, a laxity in reporting promptly and fully, and a general ignorance of these laws, not only among boarding women but also among doctors, lawyers, and public officials. A law similar to that already in operation in some States, requiring the reporting of all children cared for outside of the homes of their parents, would undoubtedly be effective in protecting the interests of a large number of children.

The passage of the law providing for aid in the home to mothers with dependent children (chapter 763, Acts of 1913) has not appreciably affected the work of this Division. Although many of the applicants for assistance under this law have been known previously to the Minor Wards Division, other plans had been made for them. In only one instance was an application for aid instigated by the Division. It is interesting to note that in this case the mother, a widow, signified her intention to marry, thus becoming ineligible for support under this act, before the investigation for aid in the home was completed.

The following statistical table is self-explanatory:—

Applications (chapter 83, section 36, Revised Laws)	
pending December 1, 1912	286
New applications (chapter 83, section 36, Revised Laws)	
	1,142
	———— 1,428
Disposition as follows:—	
Advised only	47
Applications withdrawn	136
Assumed by relatives	146
Assumed by public agencies	203
Assumed by private agencies	336
Received (chapter 83, section 36, Revised Laws) .	184
Pending December 1, 1913	376
	———— 1,428

Applications for discharge pending December 1, 1912 . . .	87	
New applications December 1, 1911, to December 1, 1912 . . .	116	
	—	203
Disposition as follows:—		
Discharged to relatives	80	
Discharge refused	31	
Applications withdrawn	33	
Pending December 1, 1913	59	
	—	203
Applications for assent to bastardy release pending Decem-		
ber 1, 1912	2	
New applications December 1, 1912, to December 1, 1913 . . .	7	
	—	9
Disposition as follows:—		
Release assented to	4	
Assent refused	1	
Withdrawn	3	
Pending December 1, 1913	1	
	—	9
After-care cases under supervision during year		59
Cases closed during year	27	
Pending December 1, 1913	32	
	—	59

Support.

Following the policy of former years, attention has been given to the collection of support, or partial support, of unsettled children from relatives, and support of settled children from Overseers of the Poor of the city or town of settlement. Through voluntary agreements, signed on the date of acceptance, \$2,201.12 has been received from relatives and \$9,310.86 from overseers. Through failure to keep these voluntary agreements, or through refusal to sign an agreement for support, legal and court action has been necessary. The sum of \$4,729.62 has been collected in this way, making a total of \$16,241.60 received during the year towards the support of dependent and neglected children.

A decision of importance was rendered by the Superior Court in a case where the Overseers of the Poor had instituted proceedings under the neglect law (Acts of 1903, chapter 334) against a settled child. The Board had previously made an

investigation and had offered to receive the child upon reimbursement. The case was contested by the Board on the ground that, as the parent was suitable to have the custody of the child and was merely poor, the child was not neglected but dependent, and therefore a proper charge upon the place of settlement. The Superior Court sustained the contention of the Board and dismissed the complaint for neglect. Since March 11, 1913, the date of the decision, the Overseers of the Poor have been reimbursing the Board for the support of the child as dependent. This decision affects a large number of cases of dependent settled children whom the local overseers, rather than provide for as the law requires, might endeavor to commit to the Board under the neglect law.

The following 20 cities and 49 towns are taking advantage of the facilities offered by the State Board for placing their settled children in families, and are reimbursing for the same: —

Brockton.	Bernardston.	Nantucket.
Cambridge.	Blackstone.	Natick.
Chelsea.	Boylston.	North Reading.
Everett.	Bridgewater.	Orleans.
Fitchburg.	Brookline.	Oxford.
Gloucester.	Dartmouth.	Plymouth.
Lawrence.	Dedham.	Prescott.
Lynn.	East Longmeadow.	Provincetown.
Malden.	Framingham.	Revere.
Marlborough.	Gardner.	Shirley.
Medford.	Hanover.	Stoneham.
New Bedford.	Hardwick.	Stowe.
Newburyport.	Harwich.	Templeton.
Quincy.	Hingham.	Uxbridge.
Salem.	Hopkinton.	Wakefield.
Somerville.	Lancaster.	Walpole.
Springfield.	Leominster.	Watertown.
Waltham.	Lincoln.	Westborough.
Woburn.	Mansfield.	Westfield.
Worcester.	Medfield.	Westford.
Amherst.	Medway.	Weymouth.
Avon.	Middleborough.	Whitman.
Belmont.	Milford.	Winchester.

Nonsupport Proceedings.

During the year ending November 30, 1913, the sum of \$3,602.57 was collected from parents of children in the care of the Board through proceedings under the Uniform Desertion Act (Acts of 1911, chapter 456), or through agreements entered into to avoid court proceedings. This amount is part of the sum of \$4,729.62 mentioned in the section entitled "Support," and represents the portion obtained by direct legal action by the special agent of the Board.

Adoptions.

During the past year 168 applications have been received from families desiring to adopt children. Thirteen of these were refused at once without investigation; 127 have been given careful investigation by correspondence and personal visits, and of this number 26 were withdrawn; 25 disapproved as unsuitable; 76 approved. There are now 28 awaiting investigation. Nearly all of these applications were received from Massachusetts, a few coming from the other New England States.

In the 76 approved homes 70 children have been placed, and arrangements are being made for filling the other 6. It is an interesting fact that 4 of these families have already adopted a child from this Department.

Thirty children (16 boys and 14 girls) were legally adopted last year. The oldest child adopted was a girl seventeen years old and the youngest a girl of fourteen months. One child died while on trial for adoption. All of these homes are in Massachusetts except one which is in Washington, D. C.

There are now 89 children on trial for adoption in homes which have been investigated and approved.

The following tables furnish comparative data concerning the several classes of the Board's children: —

Summary of All Children in Custody of the Board during the Year.

	DELINQUENT			WAYWARD			NEGLECTED			DEPENDENT		
	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals
Number December 1, 1912	342	35	377	13	16	29	1,628	1,339	2,967	1,176	673	1,849
Received December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913	129	12	141	2	12	14	193	209	402	135	158	293
Total number in charge	471	47	518	15	28	43	1,821	1,548	3,369	1,311	831	2,142
Transferred and discharged December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913	109	5	114	2	1	3	158	107	265	114	82	196
Number December 1, 1913	362	42	404	13	27	40	1,663	1,441	3,104	1,197	749	1,946

Summary of Children under Three Years of Age in Custody of the Board.

	DEPENDENT			NEGLECTED		
	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals
Number December 1, 1912	122	130	252	67	54	121
Received December 1, 1912 to November 30, 1913.	85	78	163	53	40	93
Total number in charge	207	208	415	120	94	214
Number transferred to the Department for Children over three years of age.	50	46	96	38	25	63
Number discharged	26	29	55	18	18	36
Number December 1, 1913	131	133	264	64	51	115

Summary of Children over Three Years of Age in Custody of the Board.

	DELINQUENT			WAYWARD			NEGLECTED			DEPENDENT		
	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals	Boys	Girls	Totals
Number December 1, 1912	342	35	377	13	16	29	1,562	1,284	2,846	1,053	544	1,597
Received December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913	129	12	141	2	12	14	140	169	309	50	80	130
Transferred from Department for Children under three years of age	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	25	63	50	46	96
Total number in charge	471	47	518	15	28	43	1,740	1,478	3,218	1,153	670	1,823
Discharged December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913	109	5	114	2	1	3	140	89	229	88	53	141
Number December 1, 1913	362	42	404	13	27	40	1,600	1,389	2,989	1,065	617	1,682

*Disposition of Children over Three Years of Age in Custody of the Board
during the Year ending November 30, 1913.*

	Girls	Boys
In homes, receiving wages	252	453
In homes, free of expense to State	208	353
In homes, clothing only furnished	65	25
In homes, board and clothing provided	1,270	1,860
In institutions	237	204
Married	11	-
Whereabouts unknown	32	115
Total number in charge November 30, 1913	2,075	3,040
Died	10	19
To United States service	-	16
Became of age	31	46
Transferred to Lyman School	-	18
Transferred to Industrial School for Boys	-	14
Transferred to Industrial School for Girls	3	-
Adopted	12	13
Discharged	21	125
	77	251
Total number in custody of the Board during the official year	2,152	3,291

Discharges.¹

	Pending December 1, 1912	Cases taken up	Granted	Refused by the Board	Refused without Board's Action	Granted conditionally	Withdrawn	Pending December 1, 1913
Neglected	100	166	24	70	56	23	58	35
Delinquent	21	30	1	10	-	13	19	8
Wayward	2	1	-	-	-	-	3	-
Chapter 83, section 36, Revised Laws	104	136	71	5	38	-	65	61
Chapter 83, section 20, Revised Laws	1	4	3	-	-	-	1	1
	228	337	99	85	94	36	146	105
Families involved	176	194	77	60	67	22	70	82

¹ Discharges for adoptions and transfers to industrial schools are not included in this table as they are considered separately.

Disposal by the Courts of Cases of Juvenile Offenders, Delinquent and Wayward Children in which Notice has been received by the State Board of Charity.

MONTHS		Number of Court No- tices received	Committed to Lyman School	Committed to Indus- trial School for Boys	Committed to Indus- trial School for Girls	Committed to State Board of Charity	Committed to Massa- chusetts Reformatory	Committed to House of Correction	Committed to Suffolk School for Boys	Committed to County Truant Schools	Held for the Superior Court	Probation	Fined	Continued	Failed to appear	Discharged	Dismissed	Filed	Totals
December	1912	419	17	2	5	12	3	1	14	6	1	171	32	76	6	35	43	38	461
January	1913	576	13	11	6	12	3	1	3	4	12	166	20	70	7	52	28	54	470
February		391	11	12	6	6	4	1	4	11	1	195	23	59	7	26	29	30	420
March		498	17	7	7	13	4	1	8	2	2	110	26	96	22	14	23	70	421
April		320	17	5	10	9	1	1	10	5	3	113	43	58	5	26	19	45	370
May		593	17	17	8	10	7	2	6	6	2	188	34	66	12	29	34	68	506
June		250	12	6	4	12	1	1	7	3	1	59	18	52	2	23	6	20	225
July		787	33	25	9	15	2	2	17	3	5	209	40	64	25	59	35	101	637
August		732	26	18	8	15	2	4	20	1	1	166	43	118	17	49	27	115	634
September		557	31	13	6	15	3	1	16	1	6	176	27	56	22	26	31	55	484
October		744	22	15	5	21	0	3	15	11	2	161	37	118	19	33	71	94	633
November		472	23	11	4	15	6	3	10	8	3	132	24	58	8	25	39	69	438
Totals		6,339	239	142	78	155	41	11	130	60	37	1,846	367	900	152	397	385	759	5,699

Disposal by the Courts of Cases of Neglected Children in which Notice has been received by the State Board of Charity.

MONTHS	Number of Court Notices received	Committed to State Board of Charity	Committed to Trustees for Children, Boston	Home for Destitute Catholic Children	Discharged	Dismissed	Continued	Failed to appear	Overseers of Poor	Filed	Totals
1912											
December	98	18	1	10	5	7	73	1	-	1	116
1913											
January	114	36	12	5	-	9	84	1	-	-	147
February	56	29	1	5	-	7	33	-	-	-	75
March	92	24	-	-	-	3	50	-	-	1	78
April	118	46	2	3	2	2	83	2	-	-	140
May	137	35	1	-	-	17	105	1	-	-	159
June	43	18	7	-	-	1	23	4	-	-	53
July	149	33	-	-	-	3	67	2	-	-	105
August	106	48	4	-	-	3	65	-	2	-	122
September	54	29	-	-	-	5	31	6	-	1	72
October	83	38	4	-	-	-	45	2	-	9	98
November	109	48	5	9	-	5	60	4	-	-	131
Totals	1,159	402	37	32	7	62	719	23	2	12	1,296

*Disposition of Children held in Custody of the Board on Temporary Mittimi,
pending Further Order of the Court.*

	Pending Decem- ber 1, 1912	Re- ceived during the Year	Perma- nently com- mitted	Bailed or sur- rendered to Court	Sent to Indus- trial Schools	Died	Pending Decem- ber 1, 1913
Neglected	16	148	56	54	-	3	51
Delinquent	6	87	16	57	9	-	11
Wayward	-	5	4	1	-	-	-
Totals	22	240	76	112	9	3	62

Localities from which New Children were received.

	Neglected	Delinquent	Wayward	UNDER REVISED LAWS, CHAPTER 88	
				Section 36	Section 20
Abington	3	-	-	-	-
Acushnet	1	-	-	-	-
Adams	9	1	-	-	-
Alford	4	-	-	-	-
Amesbury	-	1	-	-	-
Amherst	-	-	-	1	-
Andover	-	-	-	3	-
Arlington	-	-	-	1	2
Athol	1	-	-	-	-
Attleborough	4	1	-	3	1
Barnstable	-	-	-	-	1
Belchertown	1	-	-	-	-
Belmont	-	-	-	1	-
Billerica	2	-	-	-	-
Boston	105	72	9	75	52
Braintree	-	-	-	1	-
Bridgewater	-	-	-	-	1
Brocton	9	2	-	5	-
Brookfield	7	1	-	-	-
Cambridge	14	20	-	2	4
Chelmsford	1	-	-	-	-
Chelsea	1	1	-	2	1
Cheshire	1	-	-	-	-
Chicopee	4	-	-	2	-
Clinton	1	-	-	-	-
Cummington	2	-	-	-	-
Danvers	1	-	-	2	-
Dedham	-	-	-	4	-
Douglas	1	-	-	-	-
Duxbury	-	-	-	1	-
Easthampton	2	-	-	-	-
Essex	-	-	-	1	-
Everett	-	1	-	-	1
Fall River	4	5	-	2	1
Falmouth	4	-	-	-	-
Fitchburg	7	1	-	3	-
Framingham	1	1	-	1	-
Gloucester	1	-	-	3	1
Great Barrington	-	-	-	-	1
Hamilton	-	-	-	1	-
Hanover	-	-	-	3	-
Haverhill	7	1	-	3	-
Hingham	8	-	-	-	-
Holyoke	5	-	-	-	-
Hopkinton	-	-	-	2	-
Lawrence	14	5	-	16	4
Lee	4	-	-	-	-

Localities from which New Children were received — Concluded.

	Neglected	Delinquent	Wayward	UNDER REVISED LAWS, CHAPTER 83	
				Section 36	Section 29
Leominster	4	1	-	-	-
Lowell	13	3	-	2	1
Lynn	22	4	-	1	3
Malden	1	-	-	2	3
Manchester	1	-	-	-	-
Marlborough	1	-	-	-	-
Marshfield	-	-	-	1	-
Maynard	-	-	-	2	1
Medway	-	-	-	1	-
Melrose	-	-	-	2	-
Methuen	3	-	-	-	-
Millbury	2	-	-	-	-
Milton	-	-	-	1	-
Monson	1	-	-	-	-
Natick	-	-	-	1	-
New Bedford	5	1	-	-	2
Newburyport	5	1	-	1	1
Newton	-	-	-	4	1
North Adams	8	-	-	-	-
Norton	-	-	-	-	1
Norwell	5	-	-	-	-
Norwood	1	1	-	-	-
Orange	4	-	-	-	-
Peabody	2	1	-	-	-
Pelham	5	-	-	-	-
Phillipston	2	-	-	-	-
Pittsfield	3	-	-	-	-
Prescott	-	-	-	1	-
Provincetown	-	-	-	1	-
Quincy	1	-	-	1	-
Randolph	1	-	-	-	1
Reading	-	1	-	1	-
Revere	-	-	-	5	1
Salem	4	2	-	-	1
Saugus	2	2	-	-	-
Sheffield	1	-	-	-	-
Somerville	7	-	1	4	-
Southbridge	1	-	-	-	-
Springfield	10	1	-	-	-
Stoneham	-	-	-	1	-
Stoughton	4	-	-	-	-
Templeton	1	-	-	-	-
Tewksbury	-	-	-	2	15
Wakefield	-	-	-	4	1
Walpole	-	-	-	-	1
Waltham	-	1	-	-	1
Webster	1	-	-	-	-
Westfield	2	-	-	1	-
Whitman	1	-	-	-	2
Williamstown	5	-	-	-	-
Winchendon	5	-	-	-	-
Winchester	1	-	-	4	-
Winthrop	-	-	-	1	-
Woburn	-	1	-	2	-
Worcester	37	8	4	-	3
Yarmouth	1	-	-	-	-
Total	492	141	14	184	109

LICENSED BOARDING-HOUSES FOR INFANTS.

During the last official year 405 licenses to maintain boarding-houses for infants were granted by the Board under the provisions of section 2, chapter 83, Revised Laws, in 64 cities and towns, in addition to the 349 licenses in force at the expiration of the previous year; 323 licenses expired, by the one year limitation; 48 were revoked, — 45 on account of change of residence, 1 by death, and 2 for neglect of infants; and 383 licenses, permitting the boarding of 793 infants in 62 cities and towns, remained in force November 30, 1913. These represent the licensed homes not only of infants supported by the Commonwealth, but those placed out by the parents of infants, and many private agencies.

The following table shows the number of licenses issued, the number of cities and towns where licensees reside, the number of licenses expired and revoked, the whole number in force, etc., for the year ending November 30, 1913, and twenty-one preceding years: —

YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30	Licenses issued	Number of Towns	Licenses expired	Licenses revoked	Licenses in Force	Licenses refused	Reports received	Infants reported on	Infants at Board
1892	127	34	—	5	122	9	972	398	272
1893	199	39	155	16	139	20	1,800	768	374
1894	173	42	120	32	159	49	2,997	1,156	382
1895	182	50	134	52	155	68	2,701	1,125	429
1896	154	39	135	32	142	57	2,972	1,235	483
1897	189	43	123	42	166	38	3,343	1,376	549
1898	209	43	150	48	177	25	3,075	1,355	630
1899	222	43	155	60	184	43	3,269	1,347	513
1900	228	41	157	59	196	19	3,117	1,337	528
1901	258	44	174	52	228	23	3,525	1,395	601
1902	271	48	191	58	250	8	3,176	1,384	557
1903	253	47	221	62	220	12	3,111	1,319	572
1904	276	48	197	43	256	24	3,751	1,543	685
1905	285	47	236	43	262	7	3,737	1,704	674

YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30	Licenses issued	Number of Towns	Licenses expired	Licenses revoked	Licenses in Force	Licenses refused	Reports received	Infants reported on	Infants at Board
1906 (ending November 30)	400	51	295	66	301	15	4,926	1,942	718
1907 (ending November 30)	373	56	271	62	341	10	4,712	1,925	817
1908 (ending November 30)	442	59	311	87	385	18	5,370	2,215	896
1909 (ending November 30)	411	62	351	79	375	20	4,642	2,272	880
1910 (ending November 30)	410	60	350	64	371	30	4,459	2,099	800
1911 (ending November 30)	362	64	350	39	344	17	4,025	2,078	790
1912 (ending November 30)	373	68	368	60	349	23	4,622	2,108	891
1913 (ending November 30)	405	64	328	48	383	24	5,047	2,263	963

The inspector of infant boarding-houses made 926 visits during the year.

Summary of Infants under Two Years of Age reported to the State Board of Charity from December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913, under Chapter 83 of the Revised Laws, which provides for the Protection of Infants and the Licensing and Regulation of Boarding-houses for them.

SUPERVISION OF —		Number of Reports received	INFANTS																
			MALES				FEMALES				DIED								
			IN LICENSED HOMES		IN UNLICENSED HOMES		IN LICENSED HOMES		IN UNLICENSED HOMES		AGGREGATES		AGGREGATES						
			Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females					
Massachusetts Babies' Hospital	1,631	203	38	1	242	173	39	1	213	455	10	5	15	28	22	50	38	27	65
State Board of Charity	1,192	80	93	40	213	72	80	35	187	400	7	3	10	10	12	22	17	15	32
Private individuals	990	215	233	12	460	199	217	7	423	883	5	7	12	6	6	12	11	13	24
St. Mary's Infant Asylum	740	24	98	1	123	35	131	3	169	292	8	6	14	7	10	17	15	16	31
Boston Trustees for Children	71	18	9	—	27	21	12	1	34	61	2	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	2
Worcester Children's Friend Society	65	11	8	1	20	11	4	—	15	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New England Home for Little Wanderers	62	9	5	—	14	3	6	—	9	23	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1
Avon Home	49	5	3	1	9	8	3	—	11	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Bedford Children's Aid Society	49	9	2	—	11	4	3	—	7	18	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	1
Lowell Day Nursery Association	46	19	1	—	20	21	—	—	21	41	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lawrence Sanitary Milk Committee	36	9	1	—	10	8	—	—	8	18	—	—	—	3	—	3	3	—	3
Children's Mission to the Children of the Destitute in the City of Boston.	19	7	—	—	7	4	4	—	8	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Summary of Infants under Two Years of Age reported to the State Board of Charity from December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913, under Chapter 83 of the Revised Laws, which provides for the Protection of Infants and the Licensing and Regulation of Boarding-houses for them — Continued.

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Order of St. Anne	2	-	3	-	3	1	2	-	3	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseers of the Poor of Lynn	2	-	1	-	1	2	-	-	2	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arlington Day Nursery and Children's Temporary Home (Lawrence).	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lawrence City Mission	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Children's Home Association	2	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Associated Charities of Lynn	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Volunteers of America	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Doane Orphanage	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	1	1
Overseers of the Poor of Malden	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseers of the Poor of Everett	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Overseers of the Poor of Saugus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Associated Charities of Leominster	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	5,047	624	514	56	1,194	574	522	49	1,145	2,339 ¹	32	21	53	56	53	88	74
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¹ Actual number of infants less duplications of supervision, 2,263; males, 1,146; females, 1,117.

Church Home for Orphan and Destitute Children
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Ages at Death of Infants reported in Preceding Table.

INFANTS	Massachusetts Babies' Hospital	State Board of Charity	Private Individuals	St. Mary's Infant Asylum	Boston Trustees for Children	New England Home for Little Wanderers	New Bedford Children's Aid Society	Lawrence Sanitary Milk Committee	Haverhill Children's Aid Society	Bethlehem Home	Doane Orphanage	Totals
Under one month	3	-	2	2	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	10
One month but under two	10	-	5	6*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21
Two months but under three	7	1	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16
Three months but under four	11	1	1	3	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	18
Four months but under five	8	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	15
Five months but under six	5	6	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
Six months but under one year	15	14	5	11	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	47
One year but under two years	6	8	1	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	18
Totals	65	32	24	31	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	162

LICENSED LYING-IN HOSPITALS.

Licenses in force November 30, 1912 (in 71 cities and towns)	158
Expired during year	38
Surrendered before expiration	13
Revoked	1
	— 52
	— 106
Renewed	41
New issues	27
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Lying-in hospital licenses in force November 30, 1913 (in 73 cities and towns)	174
Licensees:—	
Corporations	78
Physicians	33
Nurses	53
Overseers of the Poor	9
Lessee of hospital	1
	—
Total	174

Four licenses were suspended for failure or neglect to comply with the regulations for lying-in hospitals. One complaint for keeping a lying-in hospital without a license was prosecuted in court and the defendant found guilty and fined.

One hundred and sixty-four visits of inspection of lying-in hospitals were made during the year ending November 30, 1913.

Particular attention has been paid to the enforcement of Rules 8 and 9 of the regulations for lying-in hospitals. These rules are as follows:—

Rule 8.— Each licensee shall be responsible for the use at every birth, for the prevention of ophthalmia neonatorum, of either the 1 per cent. solution of nitrate of silver furnished to physicians by the State Board of Health or some similar preparation having the approval of the said Board.

Rule 9.— A licensee shall send notice in writing to the *State Board of Health*, Boston, within *six hours* after the discharge from his lying-in hospital, of an infant whose eyes show or have shown

the presence of ophthalmia neonatorum, stating the destination of said infant. A duplicate of the notice shall at the same time be sent to the *State Board of Charity*, Boston.

All the licensed hospitals are obliged to use some prophylactic in the eyes of the new-born infant for the purpose of preventing ophthalmia neonatorum. A large proportion use the preparation of 1 per cent. nitrate of silver prepared and furnished free of charge by the State Board of Health; others prefer argyrol. Reports of the discharge of ophthalmia cases as required by Rule 9 are received on an average of 23 per month. As the yearly number of births in the licensed lying-in hospitals is approximately 10,000, these figures show that "sore eyes" develop in 2.76 per cent. of births in licensed lying-in hospitals. Most licensees report the least irritation from whatever cause in the infant's eyes; and therefore the notices do not entirely signify positive cases of ophthalmia neonatorum. Some irritation in the infant's eyes is caused by the use of the prophylactic, and that condition is generally reported.

The following table shows the reports received by the State Board of Health from lying-in hospitals in accordance with Rule 9 for the period from May 1 to November 30, 1913:—

NAME OF LYING-IN HOSPITAL	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	Totals	Prophylactic used in Infants' Eyes at Birth	Total Yearly Births
Boston Lying-in Hospital	2	1	2	5	2	4	6	20	Argyrol, 25 per cent.	816
Florence Crittenton League	1	1	3	2	2	1	2	9	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	233
Goddard Hospital, Brooklyn	3	1	2	2	1	1	1	9	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	175
Haverhill City Hospital	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	No report	50
Holyoke City Hospital	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	5	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	130
House of Mercy, Pittsfield	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	Argyrol, 10 per cent.	279
House of Providence Hospital, Holyoke	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	62
Jordan Hospital, Plymouth	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Silver nitrate, 1 per cent.	31
Lowell Corporation Hospital	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	3	Silver nitrate, 1 per cent.	60
Lynn Hospital	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	11	Argyrol, 5 per cent.	232
Malden Hospital	6	5	2	1	4	4	1	23	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate and argyrol, 20 per cent.	161
Massachusetts Homoeopathic Hospital, Boston	4	4	5	12	9	4	1	39	Argyrol, 20 per cent.	841
Mercy Hospital, Springfield	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	180
New England Hospital for Women and Children, Boston	1	2	5	3	1	2	1	13	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate and 1 per cent. silver nitrate	550
Newton Hospital	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	235
St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	Argyrol, 5 per cent.	271
State Infirmary, Tewksbury	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	Silver nitrate, 1 per cent.	143
Talitha Cumi Hospital, Boston	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate and argyrol	80
Wesson Maternity Hospital, Springfield	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	621
Whidden Memorial Hospital, Everett	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	S. B. H. 1 silver nitrate	27
Worcester Memorial Hospital	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Argyrol, 25 per cent.	334
Totals	28	16	23	29	24	21	20	161		5,511

Average, 23 notices per month.

1 State Board of Health.

Special effort is made to oblige licensees to secure the correct names of patients received in order that correct names shall be returned to the city or town clerk in the birth record. Much of the difficulty in obtaining correct names is due to the indifference on the part of the physicians and attendants to make inquiries in order to secure the correct spelling of names. This is particularly true in manufacturing towns where there are many foreigners, the names being difficult to establish.

TUITION OF CHILDREN UNDER THE CARE AND CONTROL OF THE BOARD.

Section 4 of chapter 44 of the Revised Laws provides that, "For the tuition in the public schools in any city or town of a child between the ages of five and fifteen years who shall be placed elsewhere than in his own home by the state board of charity . . . or kept under the control of . . . said board in said city or town, the commonwealth shall pay to said city or town . . . fifty cents for each week of five days, or major part thereof, of attendance of every such child in the public schools. For the transportation to and from a public school of any child whose tuition is payable by the commonwealth . . . the commonwealth . . . shall pay to the city or town furnishing such transportation, for each week of five days or major part thereof, an amount equal to the average amount for each child paid by said city or town per week for the transportation of children to and from school over the route by which such child is conveyed."

Under the operation of this law, bills received from 217 cities and towns, for the tuition and transportation of 2,781 children, amounting to \$39,999.78, — viz., schooling, \$35,555.50; transportation, \$4,444.28, — were audited by the Board and paid by the Treasurer of the Commonwealth, during the last official year, as follows: —

TOWNS	Number of Children	Number of Weeks' Schooling	Cost of Schooling	Cost of Transpor- tation	Total Cost
Abington	11	308	\$154 00	\$66 00	\$220 00
Acton	4	115	57 50	52 20	109 70
Amesbury	6	96	48 00	37 25	85 25
Amherst	26	695	347 50	13 00	360 50
Andover	15	386	193 00	28 00	221 00
Arlington	11	347	173 50	-	173 50
Ashfield	8	195	97 50	-	97 50
Ashland	12	348	174 00	45 00	219 00
Athol	21	588	294 00	72 75	366 75
Ayer	5	155	77 50	38 75	116 25
Barnstable	1	36	18 00	-	18 00
Barre	6	164	82 00	-	82 00
Becket	9	200	100 00	-	100 00
Belchertown	45	1,006	503 00	-	503 00
Bellingham	3	108	54 00	27 00	81 00
Belmont	3	87	43 50	-	43 50
Berkley	15	375	187 50	-	187 50
Berlin	7	175	87 50	4 75	92 25
Bernardston	10	196	98 00	-	98 00
Beverly	11	308	154 00	-	154 00
Blandford	12	314	157 00	-	157 00
Boston	85	2,624	1,312 00	-	1,312 00
Bourne	11	768	384 00	-	384 00
Boxford	13	278	139 00	-	139 00
Braintree	7	204	102 00	-	102 00
Bridgewater	5	164	82 00	69 50	151 50
Brimfield	13	232	116 00	104 00	220 00
Brockton	14	245	122 50	-	122 50
Brookfield	6	152	76 00	-	76 00
Cambridge	58	1,686	843 00	-	843 00
Canton	7	232	116 00	-	116 00
Carlisle	4	148	74 00	125 80	199 80
Charlemont	20	440	220 00	-	220 00
Chelmsford	11	304	152 00	-	152 00
Chelsea	2	18	9 00	-	9 00
Cheshire	2	31	15 50	-	15 50
Chester	34	827	413 50	77 60	491 10
Chesterfield	3	99	49 50	-	49 50
Chicopee	11	276	138 00	-	138 00
Clinton	1	40	20 00	-	20 00
Concord	3	69	34 50	19 50	54 00
Conway	25	585	292 50	2 75	295 25
Cummington	53	1,284	642 00	11 50	653 50
Dalton	5	90	45 00	-	45 00
Dana	1	56	28 00	-	28 00
Danvers	17	496	248 00	-	248 00
Dedham	18	532	266 00	-	266 00
Deerfield	6	132	66 00	-	66 00
Dighton	3	92	46 00	-	46 00
Dracut	22	415	207 50	140 50	348 00
Dudley	5	178	89 00	-	89 00
Duxbury	8	227	113 50	-	113 50
East Bridgewater	20	430	215 00	34 00	249 00
East Longmeadow	14	311	155 50	-	155 50
Easthampton	2	78	39 00	-	39 00
Easton	13	382	191 00	-	191 00
Enfield	47	1,218	609 00	75 00	684 00
Essex	1	12	6 00	6 00	12 00
Everett	11	182	91 00	-	91 00
Fitchburg	7	180	90 00	12 00	102 00
Foxborough	1	6	3 00	-	3 00
Framingham	23	616	308 00	1 50	309 50
Franklin	16	460	230 00	49 02	279 02
Gardner	12	256	128 00	96 75	224 75
Georgetown	55	1,085	542 50	707 23	1,249 73
Gill	21	519	259 50	-	259 50
Gloucester	1	8	4 00	-	4 00
Goshen	8	163	81 50	-	81 50
Granby	6	145	72 50	81 20	153 70
Greenfield	6	137	68 50	-	68 50
Greenwich	11	281	140 50	91 00	231 50
Groton	4	38	19 00	13 50	32 50
Hadley	5	84	42 00	-	42 00
Hampden	53	917	458 50	29 50	488 00
Hanover	11	222	111 00	-	111 00
Hanson	2	74	37 00	-	37 00

TOWNS	Number of Children	Number of Weeks' Schooling	Cost of Schooling	Cost of Transpor- tation	Total Cost
Hardwick	2	76	\$38 00	\$38 00	\$76 00
Harwich	5	63	31 50	31 00	62 50
Haverhill	10	238	119 00	-	119 00
Hawley	25	648	324 00	-	324 00
Hinsdale	17	405	202 50	-	202 50
Holbrook	2	16	8 00	-	8 00
Holden	2	70	35 00	5 50	40 50
Holland	1	36	18 00	-	18 00
Holliston	12	291	145 50	-	145 50
Holyoke	5	104	52 00	-	52 00
Hopkinton	37	1,029	514 50	209 00	723 50
Hubbardston	1	34	17 00	17 00	34 00
Huntington	7	188	94 00	-	94 00
Kingston	12	257	128 50	-	128 50
Lanesborough	1	25	12 50	-	12 50
Lawrence	3	52	26 00	-	26 00
Lee	3	64	32 00	14 00	46 00
Leominster	3	82	41 00	8 00	49 00
Leverett	6	120	60 00	-	60 00
Lexington	2	80	40 00	-	40 00
Leyden	13	370	185 00	-	185 00
Lowell	40	944	472 00	-	472 00
Ludlow	12	351	175 50	-	175 50
Lunenburg	4	85	42 50	-	42 50
Lynn	25	773	386 50	-	386 50
Lynnfield	2	28	14 00	-	14 00
Malden	22	622	311 00	-	311 00
Mansfield	3	115	57 50	-	57 50
Marion	3	21	10 50	-	10 50
Marlborough	10	318	159 00	27 50	186 50
Medfield	4	118	59 00	66 08	125 08
Medford	57	1,517	758 50	-	758 50
Medway	21	695	347 50	133 75	481 25
Melrose	32	753	376 50	12 00	388 50
Merrimac	6	99	49 50	97 50	147 00
Methuen	4	68	34 00	8 00	42 00
Middleborough	45	1,174	587 00	-	587 00
Middlefield	9	277	138 50	-	138 50
Middleton	9	309	154 50	64 50	19 00
Milford	18	486	243 00	-	243 00
Monson	30	754	377 00	-	377 00
Montague	6	201	100 50	41 04	141 54
Natick	63	1,936	968 00	47 50	1,015 50
Needham	4	227	113 50	-	113 50
New Bedford	8	245	122 50	-	122 50
New Salem	8	98	49 00	-	49 00
Newbury	20	365	182 50	14 25	196 75
Newburyport	8	208	104 00	13 70	117 70
Newton	7	174	87 00	-	87 00
North Attleborough	4	130	65 00	-	65 00
North Brookfield	8	257	128 50	164 15	292 65
North Reading	6	117	58 50	22 75	81 25
Northampton	11	335	167 50	-	167 50
Northborough	3	51	25 50	-	25 50
Northbridge	3	93	46 50	-	46 50
Norton	15	479	239 50	32 50	272 00
Norwell	18	566	283 00	138 00	421 00
Norwood	8	207	103 50	19 45	122 95
Oakham	3	58	29 00	-	29 00
Orange	14	446	223 00	63 50	286 50
Otis	3	33	16 50	-	16 50
Palmer	22	566	283 00	17 75	300 75
Peabody	24	689	344 50	36 00	380 50
Pelham	18	497	248 50	-	248 50
Pembroke	15	510	255 00	13 50	268 50
Peru	7	129	64 50	-	64 50
Phillipston	11	223	111 50	-	111 50
Pittsfield	7	194	97 00	-	97 00
Plainfield	24	440	220 00	-	220 00
Plainville	2	76	38 00	-	38 00
Plympton	4	98	49 00	-	49 00
Prescott	25	690	345 00	-	345 00
Quincy	24	577	288 50	-	288 50
Randolph	16	302	151 00	-	151 00
Raynham	7	93	46 50	-	46 50
Reading	24	522	261 00	-	261 00

TOWNS	Number of Children	Number of Weeks' Schooling	Cost of Schooling	Cost of Transpor- tation	Total Cost
Rehoboth	9	106	\$53 00	-	\$53 00
Revere	11	315	157 50	-	157 50
Rochester	2	35	17 50	-	17 50
Rockland	4	45	22 50	\$3 00	25 50
Rowe	19	468	234 00	-	234 00
Rowley	2	48	24 00	10 00	34 00
Royalston	15	448	224 00	-	224 00
Salem	7	162	81 00	24 50	105 50
Saugus	53	1,275	637 50	13 50	651 00
Savoy	4	88	44 00	-	44 00
Scituate	3	70	35 00	-	35 00
Seekonk	4	144	72 00	-	72 00
Sharon	3	121	60 50	30 25	90 75
Sherborn	5	75	37 50	25 00	62 50
Shirley	2	45	22 50	22 50	45 00
Somerville	15	406	203 00	-	203 00
South Hadley	4	144	72 00	72 00	144 00
Southborough	9	249	124 50	93 60	218 10
Southwick	5	87	43 50	-	43 50
Springfield	13	301	150 50	-	150 50
Sterling	1	36	18 00	18 00	36 00
Stoughton	10	280	140 00	-	140 00
Stow	4	64	32 00	-	32 00
Sturbridge	3	51	25 50	-	25 50
Sudbury	7	136	68 00	4 50	72 50
Sunderland	7	98	49 00	35 00	84 00
Sutton	8	234	117 00	-	117 00
Swampscott	10	299	149 50	-	149 50
Taunton	44	1,106	553 00	-	553 00
Templeton	13	215	107 50	-	107 50
Tewksbury	6	151	75 50	-	75 50
Topsfield	4	141	70 50	-	70 50
Townsend	1	65	32 50	46 25	78 75
Tyngsborough	1	40	20 00	10 00	30 00
Upton	13	171	85 50	29 50	115 00
Wakefield	39	885	442 50	-	442 50
Wales	2	88	44 00	-	44 00
Waltham	11	322	161 00	-	161 00
Ware	21	696	348 00	16 50	364 50
Wareham	5	156	78 00	-	78 00
Warren	1	38	19 00	6 92	25 92
Washington	5	95	47 50	-	47 50
Watertown	14	401	200 50	-	200 50
Wayland	11	354	177 00	216 40	393 40
West Bridgewater	20	407	203 50	-	203 50
West Brookfield	3	102	51 00	-	51 00
West Newbury	18	333	166 50	23 75	190 25
Westborough	14	235	117 50	65 65	183 15
Westfield	14	422	211 00	7 00	218 00
Westford	6	80	40 00	34 50	74 50
Westminster	6	142	71 00	-	71 00
Weston	4	133	66 50	55 74	122 24
Westport	1	26	13 00	3 75	16 75
Weymouth	15	431	215 50	-	215 50
Whately	9	126	63 00	1 80	64 80
Whitman	14	299	149 50	-	149 50
Wilbraham	15	325	162 50	-	162 50
Williamsburg	36	914	457 00	14 50	471 50
Williamstown	12	350	175 00	-	175 00
Wilmington	6	135	67 50	-	67 50
Winchendon	16	318	159 00	66 50	225 50
Winchester	32	918	459 00	5 20	464 20
Woburn	52	1,628	814 00	-	814 00
Worcester	2	48	24 00	-	24 00
Worthington	17	468	234 00	-	234 00
Totals	2,781	71,111	35,555 50	4,444 28	39,999 78

THE BOARD'S FINANCES.

The following table shows the legislative appropriations for expenses under the direction of the Board for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1912, and the expenses for the same period; the appropriations for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1913, and the expenses for the same year; and the estimates for the fiscal year ending November 30, 1914:—

	Appropriations, Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1912	Expenses, Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1912	Appropriations, Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913	Expenses, Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1913	Estimates, Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1914
Expenses of the Board, including travelling and other expenses of the members, and salaries and expenses in the Board's Central Office.	\$18,500 00	\$18,495 19	\$22,000 00	\$21,740 98	\$25,000 00
Salaries and expenses in the Division of State Adult Poor	55,922 00	53,233 22	57,406 00	54,424 15	75,400 00
Salaries and expenses in the Division of State Minor Wards	74,000 00	72,194 41	81,600 00	79,529 11	91,400 00
Transportation of State paupers, including transportation of paroled inmates of State Farm and expenses of parole visitors, for the current year and previous years.	18,000 00	16,265 18	16,000 00	15,727 66	16,000 00
Care and maintenance of indigent and neglected children and juvenile offenders for the current year and previous years.	464,000 00	464,000 00	504,000 00	503,999 13	516,000 00
Support of State pauper infants for the current year and previous years	63,000 00	57,248 31	58,000 00	56,985 54	58,000 00
Tuition in the public schools of children boarded or bound out by the State Board of Charity for the current year and previous years.	35,500 00	35,493 68	40,000 00	39,999 78	54,000 00
Travelling and other necessary expenses of Auxiliary Visitors	1,200 00	774 19	1,200 00	338 00	1,200 00
Support of sick State paupers and cases of wife-settlement, by cities and towns, for the current year and previous years.	60,000 00	59,999 78	65,000 00	62,613 49	75,000 00
Burial of State paupers by cities and towns for the current year and previous years	10,000 00	9,999 47	10,000 00	8,189 75	8,000 00
Temporary aid of State paupers and shipwrecked seamen by cities and towns for the current year and previous years.	45,000 00	44,999 99	50,000 00	49,999 99	50,000 00
Expenses incurred in connection with smallpox and other diseases dangerous to the public health for the current year and previous years.	55,000 00	47,930 69	45,000 00	44,999 10	45,000 00
Publication of annual report	2,539 43	2,539 43	2,874 83	2,874 83	3,000 00
Salaries and expenses at Penitentiary Hospital	13,369 00	14,838 92	23,390 83	23,390 83	30,000 00
Aiding mothers, etc.	—	—	4,000 00	1,071 79	175,000 00
Totals	\$916,030 43	\$898,012 46	\$1,080,470 66	\$905,884 13	\$1,223,000 00

The expenses for the fiscal year, December 1, 1912, to November 30, 1913, were as follows:—

Expenses of the Board	\$21,740 98
Division of State Adult Poor	54,424 15
Division of State Minor Wards	79,529 11
Transportation of State Paupers	15,727 66
Support of indigent and neglected children	503,999 13
Support of pauper infants	56,985 54
Tuition of State children	39,999 78
Auxiliary Visitors	338 00
Support of sick State paupers	62,613 49
Burial of State paupers	8,189 75
Temporary aid of State paupers	49,999 99
Dangerous diseases	44,999 10
Penikese Hospital	23,390 83
Annual report	2,874 83
Aiding mothers, etc.	1,071 79
Total	<u>\$965,884 13</u>

DETAILS.

EXPENSES OF THE BOARD.

Salaries:

Robert W. Kelso, Secretary	\$4,000 00
Louise S. Kolb, Assistant Secretary	1,200 00
Harry H. Pray, Examining Visitor of Institutions	1,700 00
Amy F. Acton, Chief Inspector of Incorporated Charities	1,400 00
Caroline J. Cook, Inspector of Incorporated Charities	825 00
Alice M. McIntire, Inspector of Incorporated Charities	1,075 00
Lillian M. Linnekin, Stenographer	900 00
Marion H. Naylor, Stenographer	710 14
Marion K. Walker, Stenographer	28 00
Augusta Hawley, Chief Accountant	1,000 00
Jennie I. Gurney, Statistical Clerk	700 00
Dora P. Bearse, Clerk	150 00
Josephine M. Briggs, Clerk	32 26
Mary E. Callahan, Clerk	601 53
Annie G. Carpenter, Clerk	661 68
Lillie M. Chamberlain, Clerk	42 40
Helen L. Connelly, Clerk	23 33
Hilma A. Fowler, Clerk	774 19

Amount carried forward \$15,823 53

<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$15,823 53
Matilda V. Hall, Clerk	600 00
Helen L. Hall, Clerk	147 75
Madeleine F. Jordan, Clerk	58 06
Mary E. Kelley, Clerk	101 61
Margaret T. Lynch, Clerk	49 71
Mary J. C. Manning, Clerk	43 55
Grace E. O'Brien, Clerk	117 74
Margaret T. O'Brien, Clerk	125 00
William G. Kelley, Clerk and Messenger	600 00
Earle S. Bradley, Messenger	20 00
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Total salaries	\$17,686 95
Travelling expenses of members	981 65
Other travelling expenses:	
Robert W. Kelso	\$261 29
Harry H. Pray	466 19
Amy F. Acton	76 83
Alice M. McIntire	66 08
Caroline J. Cook	64 19
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	934 58
Printing	358 84
Postage	605 11
Publications	87 03
Extra service	54 00
Stationery and office supplies	933 36
Telephone and telegraph	36 54
Assistance	23 90
Miscellaneous expenses	39 02
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Total	\$21,740 98
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DIVISION OF STATE ADULT POOR.

Frank W. Goodhue, Superintendent	\$2,750 00
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Subdivision of Indoor Poor.

Francis Bardwell, Inspector of Almshouses	\$1,800 00
Edward F. Morgan, Settlement Examiner	1,700 00
Arthur C. Briggs, Transportation Officer	900 00
George S. Dubois, Transportation Officer	1,100 00
Daisy B. Hicks, Transportation Officer	600 00

<i>Amount carried forward</i>	\$8,850 00
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<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$8,850 00
Edouard C. Mailloux, Transportation Officer	1,000 00
Harry G. Taft, Transportation Officer	91 67
William G. Peterson, Transportation Officer	731 50
Flora E. Burton, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	825 00
Sabina Marshall, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	941 66
Ruth A. Beebe, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	120 42
Archie A. Ashley, Visitor	1,500 00
Frederic L. Kelley, Visitor	1,358 34
Fred J. Rice, Visitor	1,429 17
Annette E. Barnes, Stenographer and Statistician	1,100 00
Rose V. Eagan, Stenographer	700 00
Mary J. Watson, Stenographer	700 00
Margaret E. O'Connell, Clerk	600 00
Henry H. Fairbanks, Clerk	400 00
Roy D. Merchant, Clerk	333 33
James J. O'Toole, Clerk and Messenger	500 00
Herbert L. Keeble, Messenger	466 67

Subdivision of Outdoor Poor.

George B. Tufts, Deputy Superintendent	2,000 00
Willard D. Tripp, Visitor-at-large and Examiner	1,800 00
Morton E. Cummings, M.D., Medical Visitor	266 66
Edward Hitchcock, M.D., Medical Visitor	2,000 00
Joseph W. Proctor, M.D., Medical Visitor	2,000 00
James H. Cunningham, Visitor	1,308 33
John B. Gallagher, Visitor	46 66
Frederick F. Green, Visitor	46 66
William Healey, Visitor	1,500 00
John W. Henderson, Visitor	1,500 00
Berndt F. Heurlin, Visitor	250 00
William J. Hinchcliffe, Visitor	1,500 00
William Hopewell, Visitor	1,500 00
Louis R. Lipp, Visitor	1,500 00
Edward J. McDonough, Visitor	917 85
Annie A. McBride, Examiner	1,137 50
Robina A. Morison, Settlement Clerk	1,100 00
Justine D. Ferris, Accountant	900 00
Harriet I. Cowdery, Stenographer	30 00

Amount carried forward \$42,951 42

<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$15,823 53
Matilda V. Hall, Clerk	600 00
Helen L. Hall, Clerk	147 75
Madeleine F. Jordan, Clerk	58 06
Mary E. Kelley, Clerk	101 61
Margaret T. Lynch, Clerk	49 71
Mary J. C. Manning, Clerk	43 55
Grace E. O'Brien, Clerk	117 74
Margaret T. O'Brien, Clerk	125 00
William G. Kelley, Clerk and Messenger	600 00
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Other travelling expenses:	
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	934 58
Printing	358 84
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Extra service	54 00
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Telephone and telegraph	36 54
Assistance	23 90
Miscellaneous expenses	39 02
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Frank W. Goodhue, Superintendent \$2,750 00

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Francis Bardwell, Inspector of Almshouses	\$1,800 00
Edward F. Morgan, Settlement Examiner	1,700 00
Arthur C. Briggs, Transportation Officer	900 00
George S. Dubois, Transportation Officer	1,100 00
Daisy B. Hicks, Transportation Officer	600 00

Amount carried forward \$8,850 00

<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$8,850 00
Edouard C. Mailloux, Transportation Officer	1,000 00
Harry G. Taft, Transportation Officer	91 67
William G. Peterson, Transportation Officer	731 50
Flora E. Burton, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	825 00
Sabina Marshall, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	941 66
Ruth A. Beebe, Visitor for Maternity Cases at State Infirmary	120 42
Archie A. Ashley, Visitor	1,500 00
Frederic L. Kelley, Visitor	1,358 34
Fred J. Rice, Visitor	1,429 17
Annette E. Barnes, Stenographer and Statistician	1,100 00
Rose V. Eagan, Stenographer	700 00
Mary J. Watson, Stenographer	700 00
Margaret E. O'Connell, Clerk	600 00
Henry H. Fairbanks, Clerk	400 00
Roy D. Merchant, Clerk	333 33
James J. O'Toole, Clerk and Messenger	500 00
Herbert L. Keeble, Messenger	466 67

Subdivision of Outdoor Poor.

George B. Tufts, Deputy Superintendent	2,000 00
Willard D. Tripp, Visitor-at-large and Examiner	1,800 00
Morton E. Cummings, M.D., Medical Visitor	266 66
Edward Hitchcock, M.D., Medical Visitor	2,000 00
Joseph W. Proctor, M.D., Medical Visitor	2,000 00
James H. Cunningham, Visitor	1,308 33
John B. Gallagher, Visitor	46 66
Frederick F. Green, Visitor	46 66
William Healey, Visitor	1,500 00
John W. Henderson, Visitor	1,500 00
Berndt F. Heurlin, Visitor	250 00
William J. Hincheliffe, Visitor	1,500 00
William Hopewell, Visitor	1,500 00
Louis R. Lipp, Visitor	1,500 00
Edward J. McDonough, Visitor	917 85
Annie A. McBride, Examiner	1,137 50
Robina A. Morison, Settlement Clerk	1,100 00
Justine D. Ferris, Accountant	900 00
Harriet I. Cowdery, Stenographer	30 00

Amount carried forward \$42,951 42

<i>Amount brought forward</i>						\$14,261 58
Timothy J. Carey, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,369 63
Florence M. Carpenter, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	876 88
Ruth M. Carpenter, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	40 00
Nathan Coe, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Sophia T. Cole, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	714 59
Mary A. Cotter, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	764 58
Anna F. Craddock, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	342 78
G. Frederic Davis, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Mary T. Dwyer, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	833 33
Henry L. Gardner, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Marion L. Gerould, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	806 71
Jennie L. Harris, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	908 33
Geraldine S. Jones, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	958 33
Frances R. Leonard, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	789 44
Ruth Lissner, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	908 33
Eugenia Locke, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	769 44
Elizabeth B. Loomis, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	329 17
Emily M. MacDonald, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	770 27
Joseph P. McIntyre, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Elizabeth McKeough, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	770 27
Elizabeth K. Myles, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	300 00
Mary F. Mooney, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	908 33
Catherine G. Mullowney, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	408 87
Arthur E. Newcomb, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Marion G. Noyes, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	900 00
Ida R. Parker, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	408 87
Charlotte C. Perkins, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	627 42
Frederick G. Southmayd, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	1,500 00
Edna G. Spitz, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	342 78
Eileen Sullivan, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	329 17
Marion S. Tewksbury, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	714 59
Millie H. Tileston, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	714 59
E. Mabel Tyler, Visitor	.	.	.	.	.	881 72
Edna H. Boyd, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	400 56
Susie L. Glynn, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	700 00
Alice K. Guyton, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	408 00
Lillian F. Hayes, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	326 66
Anna G. Kiley, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	750 42
Nellie F. Noonan, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	652 42
Alice G. O'Mealey, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	900 00
Elinor C. E. Murphy, Stenographer	.	.	.	.	.	101 00

Amount carried forward \$45,989 06

<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$45,989 06
Mary A. Murphy, Stenographer	27 22
Lillian D. Parks, Stenographer	750 00
Casalena M. Sleeper, Stenographer	750 42
Mary J. Sullivan, Stenographer	700 00
Alice A. Page, Chief Accountant	1,000 00
Emma W. Kelley, Accountant	966 66
Mary E. Weston, File Clerk	966 66
Catherine E. Smith, Chief Clerk	966 66
Lilla D. Baker, Clerk	800 00
Marion L. T. Bucknam, Clerk	800 00
Agnes F. Brown, Clerk	600 00
Mary R. Cady, Clerk	800 00
Fannie M. Parks, Clerk	20 00
Maud A. McLean, Clerk	613 04
Anna E. Murphy, Clerk	615 85
Joseph W. Grautstuck, Transportation Officer and Visitor	1,200 00
Francis J. Tureotte, Transportation Officer	700 00
Joseph E. Quinn, Messenger	566 67
Paul V. Gunning, Messenger	43 57

Subdivision of Infants.

Sarah M. Crawford, M.D., Deputy Superintendent	583 34
Edwin F. Cummings, M.D., Medical Visitor	1,633 33
Frederick A. Burt, Visitor to Infants	1,700 00
Edwin R. Sparrow, Inspector of Lying-in Hospitals	1,250 00
Mary J. McCormack, Inspector of Infant Boarding-houses	837 50
Helen B. Albroy, Investigating Visitor	1,200 00
Helen F. Horan, Investigating Visitor	708 34
May E. P. Lowney, Investigating Visitor	908 33
Mary T. McCann, Investigating Visitor	416 67
S. Eleanor Merrill, Investigating Visitor	717 20
Eunice A. Miller, Investigating Visitor	803 05
Sarah E. Rawson, Investigating Visitor	708 34
Annie F. Merrill, Accountant	900 00
Marie T. Connors, Clerk	600 00
Georgiana C. Faden, Clerk	800 00
Georgiana N. Maheu, Clerk	652 07
Annie B. McNeil, Clerk	600 00
Frances J. Love, Office Assistant	240 00

Total salaries	\$74,133 98
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<i>Amount carried forward</i>	\$74,133 98
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<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$74,133 98
Extra service	89 72
Printing	1,044 51
Postage	1,339 78
Publications	47 65
Stationery and office supplies	1,468 01
Telephone and telegraph	927 12
Superintendent's travel	426 16
Miscellaneous expenses	52 18
Total	\$79,529 11

TRANSPORTATION OF STATE PAUPERS.

Travelling expenses of officers:

Harry G. Taft	\$58 92
George S. Dubois	530 24
Edouard C. Mailloux	984 01
Arthur C. Briggs	652 55
Daisy B. Hicks	742 60
William G. Peterson	666 83
Foreign fares	3,379 86
Inland fares	5,276 18
Carriage and express	796 48
Food and lodging	948 97
Expenses of parole visitors	64 64
Expenses of branch office	200 04
Assistance	619 19
Miscellaneous expenses	273 96
Transportation to State Infirmary	533 19
Total	\$15,727 66

INDIGENT AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN.

Board	\$362,816 38
Clothing	87,335 82
Schooling	488 09
Physicians, medicine, hospital care, etc.	19,475 28
Expenses, Charles Street Temporary Home	5,403 30
Expenses, Wellesley Temporary Home	6,072 67
Assistance and miscellaneous	6,706 13

Amount carried forward \$488,297 67

Amount brought forward \$488,297 67

Travelling expenses of visitors:

Frederick G. Southmayd	\$313 22
Nathan Coe	774 85
Henry L. Gardner	581 19
Timothy J. Carey	598 07
Edward W. Bowker	120 12
G. Frederic Davis	712 87
Arthur E. Newcomb	493 07
Joseph P. McIntyre	575 46
Joseph W. Graustuck	136 10
Roswell D. Blandy	359 46
Francis J. Turcotte	430 46
Katherine P. Hewins	28 62
Lucy B. Hancock	306 82
Mary F. Mooney	605 72
Geraldine S. Jones	320 42
Jennie L. Harris	224 12
Catherine E. Smith	10 55
Florence M. Carpenter	589 36
Mary T. Dwyer	213 93
Winifred A. Keneran	276 54
Emily F. Brennan	395 85
Ruth Lissner	470 98
Anna H. Bartlett	536 98
Ida R. Parker	80 91
Catherine G. Mallowney	151 50
Marion L. Gerould	598 65
Frances R. Leonard	723 70
Anna E. Murphy	100 68
Emily M. MacDonald	394 79
Elizabeth McKeough	342 90
Metta Bean	451 15
Marion G. Noyes	268 50
Eugenia Locke	363 50
Mary A. Cotter	140 34
Charlotte C. Perkins	115 06
Ruth A. Baker	262 38
Marion S. Tewksbury	300 82
Sophia T. Cole	509 32
Millie H. Tileston	316 97
E. Mabel Tyler	239 40

Amounts carried forward \$14,435 33 \$488,297 67

Amounts brought forward . . . \$14,435 33 \$488,297 67

Travelling expenses of visitors — *Concluded.*

Clifford B. Ballard	353 96	
Anna F. Craddock	209 68	
Bertha I. Berger	139 38	
Edna G. Spitz	125 69	
Eileen Sullivan	135 11	
Elizabeth K. Myles	188 91	
Elizabeth B. Loomis	113 40	
		15,701 46

Total \$503,999 13

PAUPER INFANTS.

Board	\$42,696 20
Clothing	5,005 64
Nursery	1,877 14
Physicians, medical attendance, hospitals, etc.	3,007 15
Miscellaneous, assistance, express, etc.	843 81

Travelling expenses of officers:

Sarah M. Crawford	\$10 75	
Edwin F. Cummings	89 93	
Frederic A. Burt	372 80	
Helen B. Albro	278 99	
Mary J. McCormack	692 37	
May E. P. Lowney	304 00	
Eunice A. Miller	251 62	
Edwin R. Sparrow	281 01	
Helen F. Horan	371 36	
S. Eleanor Merrill	517 51	
Sarah E. Rawson	209 08	
Mary E. McCann	176 18	
		3,555 60

Total \$56,985 54

TUITION OF STATE CHILDREN.

City and town bills	\$39,999 78
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AUXILIARY VISITORS.

Travelling and other expenses of Auxiliary Visitors	\$134 17
Travelling and other expenses of Almshouse Visitors	203 83
Total	\$338 00

SUPPORT OF SICK STATE PAUPERS.

City and town bills of 1907	.	.	.	.	.	\$23 18
" " " " " 1908	.	.	.	.	.	13 57
" " " " " 1909	.	.	.	.	.	185 14
" " " " " 1910	.	.	.	.	.	583 47
" " " " " 1911	.	.	.	.	.	1,624 30
" " " " " 1912	.	.	.	.	.	28,730 92
" " " " " 1913	.	.	.	.	.	31,452 91
Total	.	.	.	.	.	\$62,613 49

BURIAL OF STATE PAUPERS.

City and town bills of 1910	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$6 65
" " " " " 1911	.	.	.	.	.	.	294 21
" " " " " 1912	.	.	.	.	.	.	3,441 25
" " " " " 1913	.	.	.	.	.	.	4,447 64
Total	.	.	.	.	.	.	<u>\$8,189 75</u>

TEMPORARY AID OF STATE PAUPERS.

City and town bills of 1909	.	.	.	.	.	\$1 71
" " " " 1910	.	.	.	.	.	149 33
" " " " 1911	.	.	.	.	.	1,975 69
" " " " 1912	.	.	.	.	.	34,676 07
" " " " 1913	.	.	.	.	.	12,019 12
Foreign fares	.	.	.	.	.	1,152 97
Inland fares	.	.	.	.	.	25 10
Total	.	.	.	.	.	<u>\$49,999 99</u>

DANGEROUS DISEASES.

City and town bills of 1910	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$327 46
" " " " 1911	.	.	.	.	.	.	1.338 91
" " " " 1912	.	.	.	.	.	.	16.597 40
" " " " 1913	.	.	.	.	.	.	26.644 58
Inland fares	.	.	.	.	.	.	90 75
Total	.	.	.	.	.	.	\$44.999 10

PENIKESSE HOSPITAL.

Salaries:

Frank H. Parker	\$2,229 17
James A. Honeij	2,083 34
Samuel F. Bryant	570 00
Joseph Fornier	90 37
Emma Thomas	200 02
Melvin A. Nason	862 50
Gustina E. Gatchell	112 50
Paul Rocatis	210 00
Ellsworth Fernier	50 00
Lawrence Nolan	180 00
Edith Huntress	360 50
Stephen Littleton	146 19
Patrick Murphy	50 82
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Total salaries	\$7,145 41
Extra wages and labor	2,184 21
Food	3,643 36
Clothing and material	970 85
Furnishings	745 89
Heat, light, and power	1,317 08
Repairs and improvements	2,021 18
Farm, stable, and grounds	1,425 18
Religious services	10 00
Miscellaneous	3,927 67
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Total	<u>\$23,390 83</u>

ANNUAL REPORT.

Printing annual report	\$2,539 43
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The above details may be classified as follows:—

Salaries	\$136,361 32
Travel of members	981 65
Other travel	31,836 89
Printing and stationery	4,214 40
Other office expenses	6,601 98
Support of State minor wards	581,727 39
Transportation	13,179 63
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Amount carried forward	\$774,903 26

<i>Amount brought forward</i>	\$774,903 26
Support of State outdoor poor	164,715 21
Penikese Hospital	23,390 83
Publishing annual report	2,874 83
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Total	\$965,884 13
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Under the graded system salaries are increased during the present fiscal year as follows: Lillian D. Parks, December 1, 1913, to \$800; Marion L. Gerould, December 13, 1913, to \$1,000; Charlotte C. Perkins, December 14, 1913, to \$900; Rose V. Eagan, February 12, 1914, to \$750; Margaret E. O'Connell, February 19, 1914, to \$650; Mary J. McCormack, March 1, 1914, to \$900; Timothy J. Carey, March 21, 1914, to \$1,500; Frederic L. Kelley, April 1, 1914, to \$1,500; Agnes F. Brown, April 8, 1914, to \$650; Frances R. Leonard, April 17, 1914, to \$1,000; Arthur C. Briggs, June 6, 1914, to \$1,000; Jennie I. Gurney, July 19, 1914, to \$750; Edouard C. Mailloux, July 26, 1914, to \$1,100; Mary J. Sullivan, July 22, 1914, to \$750; Joseph W. Graustuck, August 1, 1914, to \$1,300; Helen F. Horan, August 5, 1914, to \$900; Anna E. Murphy, August 7, 1914, to \$700; Matilda V. Hall, August 12, 1914, to \$650; Annie B. McNeil, August 12, 1914, to \$650; Ruth A. Baker, August 19, 1914, to \$900; Marie T. Connors, August 26, 1914, to \$650; S. Eleanor Merrill, August 28, 1914, to \$900; Maude McLean, August 28, 1914, to \$700; Francis J. Turcotte, September 4, 1914, to \$800; Emily M. MacDonald, September 5, 1914, to \$1,000; Elizabeth McKeough, September 5, 1914, to \$1,000; Eugenia Locke, September 11, 1914, to \$1,000; Marion S. Tewksbury, September 16, 1914, to \$900; Millie H. Tileston, September 16, 1914, to \$900; Sophia T. Cole, September 16, 1914, to \$900; Marion H. Naylor, September 18, 1914, to \$800; Metta Bean, September 18, 1914, to \$1,000; Roswell D. Blandy, September 21, 1914, to \$1,500; Marion G. Noyes, October 1, 1914, to \$1,000; Annie G. Carpenter, October 1, 1914, to \$800; Susie L. Glynn, October 21, 1914, to \$750; Sarah E. Rawson, October 15, 1914, to \$900; Edwin R. Sparrow, November 1, 1914,

to \$1,500; James H. Cunningham, November 1, 1914, to \$1,500; Mary A. Cotter, November 6, 1914, to \$1,000; Mary J. Watson, November 11, 1914, to \$750; Georgiana N. Maheu, November 16, 1914, to \$750; Mary E. Callaban, November 20, 1914, to \$700; Eunice A. Miller, November 20, 1914, to \$1,000; Anna G. Kiley, November 28, 1914, to \$850; Casalena M. Sleeper, November 28, 1914, to \$850.

The Auxiliary Visitors of older girls placed out, 1912-13, are: Mary L. Allaire, Hatfield; Ella M. Bacall, Newton Highlands; Edith T. Bisbee, Boston; Martha B. Bishop, North Brookfield; Mrs. Sanford Boice, South Ashfield; Rose Boyle Herbert, Worcester; Luann L. Brackett, Boston; Alice T. S. Brewster, Pittsfield; Elizabeth R. Bridgman, Belchertown; Mary E. Brown, West Roxbury; Louise E. Burrage, Reading; Sarah Alden Burt, West Tisbury; Mabelle L. Butler, Franklin; Ellen T. A. Callahan, Worcester; Helen R. Campbell, Roxbury; Mrs. Arthur W. Carr, Bridgewater; Anne M. Chapin, Springfield; Katherine Connell, Roxbury; Agnes M. Cornwell, Malden; Margaret E. Costello, Franklin; Florence S. A. Davis, Quincy; Emma L. Dickinson, Baldwinville; Rev. Sarah I. Dixon, Tewksbury Center; Mrs. Frank Field, Shattucksville; Anna L. Fuller, Palmer; Elvira M. Gorham, Bellows Falls, Vt.; Flora R. Greely, Athol; Mary C. Harrington, Roxbury; Ellen M. Hartwell, Littleton Common; Marietta B. Hawes, Attleborough; Lucy A. Hitchcock, Palmer; Kate R. Holton, Waverley; Cora Huse, Wakefield; Florence W. Hutchinson, Pepperell; Leura E. Jenkins, Barre; Elizabeth H. Kelley, Falmouth; Amanda T. C. King, Thompsonville, Conn.; Mary M. Kingsley, Northampton; Louise W. Kinnear, Roslindale; Beatrice Kluhn, Mill River; Sara G. Knight, Worcester; M. Edna Larabee, Melrose; Margaret McIntyre, Worcester; Mary K. Morton, Hatfield; Margaret G. Murphy, Chelsea; Mary Lawler Murphy, Boston; Gertrude Newhall, Boston; Abigail F. Nims, Greenfield; Genevieve C. Norton, Lee; Katherine O'Brien, Roxbury; Mary Quirk, South Boston; S. Ellen Robertson, Chicopee; Flora A. Rose, Westfield; Helen Russell, Plymouth; Katherine V. Shinnars, Dorchester; Anne C. Smith, Dennisport; Josephine A. Smith, Springfield; Sabra C. Snell,

Amherst; Florence Stowe, Belmont; Louella C. Tainter, Dorchester, Mary B. Townsley, Springfield; Bertha L. Turner, Watertown; Ellen H. Underwood, South Dennis; Mary E. Veber, Charlemont; Alice E. Wetherbee, Fall River; Abbie M. White, Farnumsville; Julia E. White, Williamsburg; Harriet J. Williams, Wellfleet.

The Parole Visitors of prisoners released from the State Farm, 1913-14, are: Frank W. Amazeen, Haverhill; Albert Arnold, Boston; Daniel W. Bates, Westfield; William H. Bayley, Newburyport; Michael Bergin, Waltham; William G. Brett, Boston; Cornelius Buckley, Natick; James T. Carroll, South Boston; Rev. Clark Carter, Lawrence; Chester L. Clark, Milford; James H. Conley, Charlestown; William F. Dineen, North Adams; Joseph M. Fitzgerald, Pittsfield; Frank E. Flaherty, Somerville; Thomas S. Foley, Brighton; William Forsberg, Worcester; Edward A. Hall, Springfield; George L. Harris, Northampton; Timothy J. Harris, Marlborough; Harold C. Haskell, Brookline; Joseph H. Ladd, South Framingham; Matthew B. Lamb, Worcester; J. Fred Leslie, Woburn; Rev. Oscar Lindegren, East Boston; Joseph P. Love, Webster; John E. Lynch, Boston; Peter J. Lynch, Melrose; Oswald J. McCourt, West Newton; Thomas J. McEneaney, Lawrence; John J. McGrath, Amesbury; Rev. William G. Mullin, Lowell; Edwin Mulready, Rockland; William H. O'Neil, Salem; George S. Paine, Brockton; Moses J. Perrault, Fitchburg; Frederick W. Robinson, Boston; Thomas B. Rounds, Somerset; D. W. Stowell, Huntington; Michael Sweeney, Fall River; John W. Trehy, Chicopee; Rev. John B. Whiteman, Greenfield; Edward B. Wilbur, Taunton; Rev. George C. Wright, Lowell; Captain James A. Wright, Beverly.

Miss Mary Byers Smith of Andover, Miss Winifred Hawkrige and Miss Margaret S. Winslow of Boston are volunteer visitors to the State Infirmary.

MEETINGS OF THE BOARD.

During the official year ending November 30, 1913, the Board held twenty-eight meetings, viz., twelve regular monthly meetings and sixteen adjourned and special meetings. The

attendance of members at these meetings was as follows: Mr. Lincoln, fifteen meetings; Miss Curtis, twenty-four; Mr. Adams, twenty-five; Mr. Tilley, twenty-four; Mr. Brackett, twenty-one; Mr. Johnson, twenty; Mr. Ratshesky, ten; Mr. Downey, fifteen; Mrs. Sheffield, twenty-one. There were, in addition, frequent meetings of the Standing Committees. The results of all these meetings are embodied in the foregoing report.

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REPORT
OF THE
STATE BOARD OF CHARITY

PART II

CHARITABLE CORPORATIONS

CHARITABLE CORPORATIONS.

Investigation of Charitable Organizations seeking Incorporation.

Chapter 181 of the Acts of 1910 requires the Board to investigate, give public hearing, and report its findings to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, in all cases of charitable organizations which seek incorporation. The text of the act is as follows:—

ACTS OF 1910, CHAPTER 181.

SECTION 1. Before making and issuing a certificate for the incorporation of a charitable corporation the secretary of the commonwealth shall also forward such statement as is described in the preceding section to the state board of charity, which shall immediately make an investigation as to the persons who have asked to be incorporated and as to the purposes of the incorporation, and any other material facts relative thereto, and shall give them a public hearing, notice of which shall be published once a week for three successive weeks in some paper published in the county in which the corporation is to have its principal office or rooms, and if said office or rooms are to be in Boston, in some Boston daily paper, the last publication to be at least three days before the day set for the hearing, and shall forthwith report to the secretary of the commonwealth all the facts ascertained by it. If it appears to the secretary of the commonwealth from said report or otherwise that the probable purpose of the formation of the proposed corporation is to cover any illegal business, or that the persons asking for incorporation are not suitable persons, from lack of financial ability or from any other cause, he shall refuse to issue his certificate. If he refuses to issue his certificate, the persons asking to be incorporated may appeal to the superior court, which shall hear the case and finally determine whether or not the certificate of incorporation shall be issued.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

During the year ending November 30, 1913, 63 applications for charters have been referred by the Secretary of the Commonwealth to this Board, which has investigated, given hearings, and reported upon the 53 applications noted below. In

8 other cases the petitions were withdrawn from this Board by the Secretary of State before report, while the petitioners in two other cases decided not to press their applications.

- Beechwood Improvement Association, Incorporated, Cohasset.
Brotherhood of Hebrew Painters' Aid Association, Boston.
Cambridge and Somerville Gemelath Chesed Charitable Loan Association, Cambridge.
Carney Hospital Nurses' Alumnæ, Incorporated.
Congregation Havers Acheain of Stoughton, Mass. (Refused.)
County Sligo Benevolent and Protective Association of Greater Boston.
Denison House, Boston.
East Boston Credit Association. (Withheld.)
East End Hebrew Gemilath Chassodim Association of Fall River.
Fall River Retail Grocers' Association.
Finnish Apostolic Lutheran Parish, Fitchburg.
Florence Crittenton Rescue League, Lowell.
Good Will, Incorporated, Springfield.
Haverhill City Hospital Aid Association.
Hebrew Free Loan Society, Boston.
Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society, Framingham.
Hebrew Ladies Helping Hand Society, Fall River.
Helping Hand Society, Easthampton.
Henryk Dabrowski Society, New Bedford.
Hutchinson Home Corporation for Aged Women, Somerville.
Hebrew Sheltering Aid Society, Fall River. (Withheld.)
Isaac Alberts Memorial Aid Association, Roxbury.
Italian Women's International Aid and Christian Association, Boston. (Refused.)
Lanesville Finnish Workingmen's Association, Gloucester.
Linwood O. Towne Scholarship Association, Haverhill.
Maplewood Institute Association of Pittsfield, Mass.
Massachusetts Conference Association of Seventh Day Adventists, Lancaster.
Massachusetts Permanent Firemen's Association, Worcester.
Massachusetts Royal Arcanum Hospital Fund Association, Incorporated, Boston.
Massachusetts Teachers' Federation, Boston.
Millenium Guild, Boston.
Mystic Order of Jovians of the World, Boston. (Refused.)
Peabody Visiting Nurse Association, Peabody.
Polish National Alliance Immigration Aid Society, Boston.
Prince Hall Grand Commandery Knights Templar Corporation, Boston.
Quincy Day Nursery Association.
Quincy Women's Club.

Rhode Island and Massachusetts Christian Conference, Incorporated,
New Bedford.
Riverside Men's Club of Walpole. (Withheld.)
Roxbury Hebrew Free School Association.
St. Elizabeth's Hospital Nurses' Alumnæ Association, Incorporated,
Boston.
Social Science Club of Ware.
Tabernacle Society of Boston.
Thaddeus Kosciuszki Society, Greenfield. (Refused.)
Tifareth Israel Congregation of Winthrop.
Unitarian Ladies' Charitable Society, Marlborough.
White Cross Association for Graduate Nurses of Holyoke, Mass.
White Plague Relief Fund Association, Lynn.
William Lawrence Camp, Incorporated, Gloucester.
Wing Memorial Hospital, Palmer.
Young Women's Hebrew Association of Boston.
Young Women's Hebrew Association of Lawrence.
Zion Mutual Aid Association, Incorporated, Lynn. (Refused.)

Forty-five of the above petitions have been granted and charters issued, while 8, or 15 per cent., have been refused or withheld. Of the 8 applications which were refused or withheld, 2 were for private gain, 2 covered insurance features, 1 was a credit union, 1 a business loan agency, 1 a social organization, and 1 was carried on in quarters which were so poor as to be unsuited to the proposed work.

During the three years and nine months which have elapsed since the passage of the law (March 7, 1910, to November 30, 1913) the Board has reported upon 213 applications for charters, 167 of which were granted and 46 refused, while in 28 other cases the applications were withdrawn.

Inspection of Charitable Corporations.

Chapter 379 of the Acts of 1909 requires the State Board of Charity to make annual inspection of charitable corporations which consent to said inspection. The text of the act is as follows:—

ACTS OF 1909, CHAPTER 379.

SECTION 1. The state board of charity, upon the request or with the consent of a charitable corporation which, under the provisions of section fourteen of chapter eighty-four of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter four hundred and two of the acts of the year nineteen hun-

dred and three, is required to make an annual report to said board, shall, at least once in every year, visit and inspect the institution or investigate the work of such corporation.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

In the three years since the work of inspection was begun, 597 visits have been made to charitable corporations in all parts of the Commonwealth.

The great possibilities of supervision over the field of private charity are becoming increasingly apparent, not only in the matter of safeguarding the public from fraud and imposture, but also in developing improved standards of work. Already the more wide-awake societies are alive to these advantages and are endeavoring to bring about a closer co-operation with the Board.

The Board does not endorse charities seeking contributions from the public. This rule is never varied, regardless of the known standing of the society in question. For this reason no agencies are warranted in using the fact that they have been inspected, in such manner as to lead the public to infer that inspection means their approval by this Board.

During the past year 241 charitable corporations have been inspected. Seven were found to be non-charitable. Fifty-three may be classed as badly managed, since they do not measure up to reasonable standards of work. Among them are 8 children's homes, 5 day nurseries, 4 fresh-air homes and camps, 5 societies for club and class work, 3 old persons' homes, 1 dispensary, 17 relief societies, and 10 others giving various forms of assistance.

The 180 other societies vary greatly in their efficiency. Many of them are not in the first rank, but even these are endeavoring to maintain fair standards in some of the essential requirements, and cannot, therefore, be classed as badly managed. In this, as in previous reports, the Board has withheld the names of the charities which have been inspected, a course for which there appears to be ample justification, since an increasing number of societies have shown a determination to raise their standards of work and have come into conference with the Board with this end in view. As a result of such conference several societies have adopted suggestions which will undoubtedly make

their work more valuable. The Board stands ready to give to all charities that have been inspected an opinion as to the efficiency of their work, with reasons therefor.

Since the work of inspection was begun, three years ago, the Board has visited a majority of the incorporated charitable organizations in the State, and has had an opportunity to study and compare the methods employed by a large group of persons, a number of whom are experts in their several fields. It may therefore be of service to those in charge of the various charitable agencies to set out a few general standards which are recognized and followed by many social workers. Such a statement should assist the various societies to measure the efficiency of their methods, and may also be instrumental in keeping before the contributing public its duty to require a high quality of service from those who are the trustees of its gifts.

The first requisite of a well-managed society is an active board of directors, who shall intelligently outline the general policies of their agency and assist and encourage the administrative officers to follow such policies. They should regard themselves as the trustees of the public, so far as the handling of the fund is concerned, and not profit in any financial way through their position, unless they perform a large amount of administrative work, and their compensation is voted by the Board.

A number of the charities visited are virtually in the hands of one person, often the principal worker. In some cases the latter has been the founder of the society, and the work is his livelihood. The directors in such cases are often mere dummies who lend their names and take none of the responsibilities which belong to them. In other cases, the workers may come and go at the will of the Board, but during their term of employment they are expected to shoulder all the responsibility. There are various reasons for this apathy on the part of the directors. It may be due to lack of interest in the work; to timidity caused by the autocratic attitude of the paid worker, or to a belief in the stability of the charity whereby they assume that it will run without their assistance. Such a state of mind is accountable for the unprogressive methods of many so-called "old-fashioned charities."

In some of the agencies a single director assumes full power

to settle both questions of policy and matters of detail. In addition to the fact that his attitude is wrong, he may also prove a benevolent tyrant. In still others he may be unfitted, through lack of knowledge and infirmity of temperament, or both, to guide others, in which case the beneficiaries suffer in proportion as they are dependent upon the charity for their care. In one society the immediate result is that unsuitable employees are retained because they will work for less than those who are better qualified. The inmates are not considerately treated, and the food is not always suited to their condition. The active director will listen to no criticism and the rest of the board are compliant.

The directors should be responsible for raising needed funds; they should not require the administrative officers to assume the burden. If they require assistance in this work it should be given by a salaried person and not by a collector on commission. Nor should directors allow benefits or entertainments to be managed by professional persons. The entire proceeds of such affairs, after the payment of printing and other necessary expenses, should be paid to the charity which is sought to be aided by them. The professional promoter, on the other hand, usually charges a large amount of money compared with the time expended. If the proceeds of the benefit promise to be substantial, he may contract for a comparatively small commission. Benefits which net \$5,000, out of which the promoter receives \$1,000, are, however, expensive affairs for the community. If he agrees upon a lump sum for service and expenses, he may put in sufficient time to assure himself of that amount, after which his energy lags.

Beneficiaries should never be allowed to solicit for the charity. In some of the children's homes the little ones are sent out daily with baskets to collect food, are encouraged to ask passers-by for money, to carry begging letters, and, in the case of one home, to drag boxes and wood for kindling through the streets. The least offenders in this direction send their children out to sell tickets for entertainments or benefits. The tendency in such cases is to accustom the children to begging methods rather than to the idea of rendering value for what they receive. Such a course, persisted in, is likely to breed paupers faster than it creates citizens.

Proper financial accounts of receipts and disbursements should be kept and an annual audit made. A bond should be required from persons having the custody of funds, the expense of which is a legitimate charge upon the society. Many directors allow a lack of system in a charitable society which they would not tolerate in a business office because they fail to realize their trusteeship in the matter of caring for charitable funds. Some attempt to excuse their laxness on the score of rendering the services without charge; while others are not informed as to proper methods.

Another important requisite in a well-managed organization is the employment of workers who are especially trained in social work. This field is fast coming to be recognized as specialized; so much so that the untrained, well-intentioned "charity worker" is no longer employed by societies which seek to do efficient work. Such agencies are convinced that doles pauperize the recipient, and that constructive plans for aiding needy persons to their feet must be made by those who have studied the causes of poverty and the best methods of preventing its recurrence.

Among the 17 relief societies which are classed as badly managed there are several with good-sized funds. Not one has a worker who is capable of making a skilful inquiry into the causes of distress among its applicants; nor do they co-operate with societies which have the proper machinery for making good investigations. They exchange no information with other relief societies in the community, and are not in a position to judge whether or not their work duplicates that of other agencies. Many of them have long lists of beneficiaries to whom they give very small amounts. So few facts have they in regard to the persons they aid that the question of adequacy cannot have been considered by them, and they leave the beneficiaries to piece out their bounty by soliciting aid from other organizations which employ similar methods. Societies which desire to study the problem of relieving the poor should therefore employ persons who are able to make thorough investigations or else co-operate with agencies which have the machinery for this work.

Some societies whose workers are not trained in investigation co-operate with other societies having trained workers to the

extent of getting information from them about applicants. This course, however, serves no useful purpose if the agents receiving such assistance are so inexperienced that they cannot use it wisely. A day nursery following this method was found to be filing much useful information away which it had paid another society to furnish, and the matron was using her own judgment as to admissions.

Workers should therefore have the proper background of training and experience to interpret the facts; only then will they be in a position to make plans, not only to relieve distress, but to prevent a recurrence of the need.

They should know all the resources of their community and be able to co-operate with them in carrying out plans. If this were done many societies could handle a larger number of cases and give more adequate relief without materially increasing their expenditures for aid given. Some of the agencies could, by a more exhaustive study of their cases, bring about the co-operation of sources of aid which are often unknown to them. Many of these are natural sources, within the family itself; others are less intimately connected, and yet may represent bonds of union. These include ties of relationship, religion, and fraternity. Besides, there are the various societies operating in the charitable field which should be enlisted in the work of aiding applicants adequately.

Some agencies which are criticized for spending a comparatively small amount for relief, in comparison with that paid out for salaries, are, in fact, doing creditable work in organizing aid for their cases. Such aid may include some material relief from their own treasury, but their services may also be enlisted to procure for the applicant other forms of relief which may be necessary to restore him to self-support. It is a well-known fact that a large proportion of the applicants for charity require, not only the immediate necessities, such as food, fuel and clothing, but medical aid, a change of work, or some other form of assistance which is calculated to restore the applicant to a normal plane of living. Such constructive effort is represented in the budget of the society by salaries rather than by payment for tangible items of relief.

Persistent follow-up work is necessary in order that plans for

the relief of applicants shall not miscarry. An agency which handles cases of young unmarried mothers deals with but one phase of the problem when it gives them institutional care for a few weeks or months and then sends them out to face the world without further provision. Girls who are feeble-minded should be given proper protection and should not be placed unsupervised in the community. Intelligent after-care requires special workers and cannot be given by persons whose time is more or less taken up with other pressing work. If the society is not in a position to provide such workers it should co-operate with some agency that has the machinery. Thus a dispensary which has among its patients many expectant mothers who are unmarried refers them for placement and after-care to a children's aid society.

Another test of efficient methods is the kind and quality of the records kept. These should show clearly all the facts brought out by the investigation, indicating the various steps taken, in such manner as to help an able social worker to diagnose the causes of distress and form a plan for adequate relief. Some of the societies visited keep case records which are useless except as an identification of persons aided; others set down every visit made, but the history of the family is so poorly recorded that it is impossible for any one not in charge of the case to judge whether the work being done is based upon a plan or is wholly haphazard.

The directors should issue an annual report of their work, either as a pamphlet or an account published in the local paper, which should contain a list of the officers and workers, an audited and itemized account of receipts, expenses and investments, the number of cases handled, and their disposition. The plan of work and the methods used should be clearly stated so as to show whether the society is rendering genuine service. The appeal for support should rest upon considerations of good work done and not upon purely sentimental grounds.

This outline of general standards of work which applies equally to all the charitable agencies is intended to be suggestive merely. The question of what are the best accepted methods in particular fields of work is one which a number of societies have discussed in conferences with the Board. The whole question

of good standards lies at the door of all charitable endeavor, if the result is to justify the time and expenditure involved. Feeling the importance of this matter the Board welcomes every step taken by the various charitable agencies to formulate and follow reasonable standards in their methods of work, and to bring them to the notice of others in the same field.

Annual Reports of Charitable Corporations.

The law provides that the Board shall receive annual reports of all charitable corporations whose personal property is exempt from taxation, and for the dissolution of corporations which fail for two successive years to report to this Board. The text of the law is as follows:—

ACTS OF 1913, CHAPTER 82.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO REPORTS OF CHARITABLE CORPORATIONS.

SECTION 1. Section fourteen of chapter eighty-four of the Revised Laws, as amended by chapter four hundred and two of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and three, is hereby further amended by adding at the end thereof the following:—If any corporation subject to the provisions of this act shall fail for two successive years to file the said report, the supreme judicial court, upon application by the state board of charity, after notice and a hearing, may decree a dissolution of the corporation,—so as to read as follows:—*Section 14.* A charitable corporation whose personal property is exempt from taxation under the provisions of clause three of section five of chapter twelve shall annually, on or before the first day of November, make to the state board of charity a written or printed report for its last financial year, showing its property, its receipts and expenditures, the whole number and the average number of its beneficiaries and such other information as the board may require. If any corporation subject to the provisions of this act shall fail for two successive years to file the said report, the supreme judicial court, upon application by the state board of charity, after notice and a hearing, may decree a dissolution of the corporation.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon the first day of November in the year nineteen hundred and thirteen.

Of the 744 corporations whose returns were called for during the last official year, 42 failed to respond; 34 of these delinquents have heretofore made the return. The remaining 702 corporations filed reports, 23 of them for the first time; 5 were received too late to appear in this report.

The names of delinquent corporations follow:—

CORPORATIONS WHICH HAVE FAILED TO FILL OUT AND RETURN BLANKS
SENT TO THEM THIS YEAR.

Army Nurse Association of Massachusetts, Boston.
Asrath Noshim, Lawrence.
Bikor Cholim Society, Worcester.
Brockton Visiting Nurse Association, Brockton.
Cambridge Young Men's Christian Association, Cambridge.
Chicopee Falls Masonic Home Association, Chicopee.
Children's Home, Lowell.
Clinton Home for Aged People, Clinton.
Everett Cottage Hospital, Everett.
Framingham Hospital, Framingham.
Free Home for Consumptives in the City of Boston, Dorchester.
Grace Hospital, Boston.
Gwynne Temporary Home for Children, Boston.
Hebrew Ladies' Charitable Association, Chelsea.
Hebrew Ladies' Helping Hand Society, New Bedford.
In His Name Society, Malden.
Ladies' Benevolent Society of Newbury, Newbury.
Massachusetts Maternity and Foundling Hospital Corporation, Boston.
Millet Sanitarium, Inc., East Bridgewater.
New Bedford Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society, New Bedford.
New Bedford Young Men's Christian Association, New Bedford.
Newburyport Howard Benevolent Society, Newburyport.
Particular Council St. Vincent de Paul of the City of Boston.
Pentacostal Home Association, Cambridge.
Public Hospital of Hyde Park, Hyde Park.
Recever Unterstuzung Verein, Boston.
Roxbury Ladies' Aid and Fuel Society, Roxbury.
Salem Hebrew Ladies' Aid Society, Salem.
Salem Relief Committee, Inc., Salem.
Society for the Burial of the Poor, Roxbury.
Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Particular Council of Lynn, Lynn.
Somerville Children's Home and Day Nursery Association, Somerville.
Springfield Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, Springfield.
Syrian Burial Society, Boston.
Unitarian Service Pension Society, Boston.
United States Volunteer Life Saving Corps of Volunteer Life Savers,
Boston.
United Syrian Charitable Society, Boston.
Vineyard Haven Sanitarium, Tisbury.
Westfield Home for Aged Women, Westfield.
Worcester Social Settlement Association, Worcester.
Young Men's Hebrew Association, Boston.
Young Men's Hebrew Association, Malden.

Reports from the following corporations were received too late to be printed in this report, but are on file: —

Melrose Hospital Association, Melrose.

South Boston Lithuanian Benevolent Society, South Boston.

Taunton Boys' Club Association, Taunton.

Young Men's Christian Association, Fitchburg.

Young Men's Christian Association, Quincy.

REPORTS

Here follow abstracts of reports of corporations for the last financial year available. The reports are arranged by towns, in alphabetical order under each town. At the end will be found an alphabetical index of all corporations.

ABINGTON.

ABINGTON YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 164 North Ave., North Abington. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Albert W. Johnson, *President*; William P. Burnham, *Secretary*; F. N. Sanderson, *Treasurer*; H. C. Dudley, *General Secretary*.

Improvement of the spiritual, intellectual, social, and physical welfare of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, about 350.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1 69	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,114 80
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,673 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	182 23
Memberships . . .	503 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	384 13
Dormitory rentals . . .	542 25	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	280 34
Committee receipts . . .	260 36	Committee work . . .	539 94
Pool and bowling . . .	293 96	Janitor supplies and extra wages . . .	185 43
Miscellaneous . . .	21 05	Miscellaneous . . .	85 12
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Total current receipts . . .	\$3,295 81	Total current expenses . . .	\$3,771 99
Loans to income (note) . . .	500 00	Cash on hand . . .	23 82
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	\$3,795 81		\$3,795 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000.

ADAMS.

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE (GREYLOCK REST), East St., Adams. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, *President*; Sister M. Agatha, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Magdalene, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of patients suffering from nervous debility, brain tire, convalescence after illness, or such chronic disease as stomach trouble, rheumatism, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 350, viz., 317 paying, 17 partly paying, 16 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$104 45	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,105 00
From beneficiaries . . .	12,529 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	125 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	849 54	Provisions and supplies . . .	5,342 06
		Heat, light, and power . . .	1,705 32
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	2,712 11
		Insurance . . .	168 00
		Interest on mortgage . . .	1,736 00
		Payment on note . . .	325 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	174 37
		Total current expenses . . .	\$13,392 86
		Cash on hand . . .	90 18
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	\$13,483 04		\$13,483 04

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$41,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$31,000.

AMESBURY.

AMESBURY AND SALISBURY HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 276 Main St., Amesbury. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Agnes M. Horton, *President*; Francis B. Clement, *Secretary*; Alfred C. Webster, *Treasurer*; Jessie F. Wells, *Matron*.

Home for aged women, Protestants, at least sixty-five years of age, inhabitants of Amesbury or Salisbury for five years. Admission, \$100, and conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$300 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,358 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	30 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	233 50
Income from investments . . .	1,521 82	Repairs . . .	140 24
Bequest without restrictions . . .	4,348 68	Drugs and medicines . . .	23 88
From estates . . .	161 19	Extra nursing . . .	100 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	68 45
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,924 57
		Deposited in national bank . . .	4,348 68
		Income invested . . .	88 44
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	\$6,361 69		\$6,361 69

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; value of investments, \$48,276.96.

THE AMESBURY HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, Amesbury. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Cyrus W. Rowell, *President*; J. Elmer Brierly, *Secretary*; Harvey B. Locke, *Treasurer*.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$709 83	Cash on hand	\$738 22
Subscriptions and donations	11		
Income from investments	28 28		
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	\$738 22		\$738 22

Not yet in operation.

LADIES' CHARITABLE SOCIETY OF AMESBURY, Amesbury. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. E. A. Childs, *President*; Mrs. J. A. Douglass, *Secretary and Treasurer*.

To aid the Protestant poor of Amesbury.

Number aided during year, 51; number of families aided, 23.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 34	Provisions and supplies	\$390 60
Subscriptions and donations	85 92	Cash on hand	75 54
Income from investments	363 88		
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	\$466 14		\$466 14

Value of investments, \$8,605.29.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF AMESBURY, 5 High St., Amesbury. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Otis P. Mudge, *President*; William Hunter, *Recording Secretary*; William A. Proctor, *Treasurer*; J. E. Trombla, *General Secretary*.

Benevolent institution to advance Christianity among young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$45 45	Salaries and wages	\$1,623 50
Subscriptions and donations	355 00	Heat, light, and power	391 94
Income from investments	85 00	Furnishings and incidental	
Memberships	671 75	repairs	153 28
Miscellaneous	1,187 89	Miscellaneous	170 31
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	\$2,345 09	Total current expenses	\$2,339 03
		Cash on hand	6 06
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			\$2,345 09

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,400; value of investments, \$4,125.

AMHERST.

**AMHERST HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, Pleasant St., North Amherst.
(Incorporated 1909.)**

Report for year ending January 13, 1913.

Walter D. Cows, *President*; Forester P. Ainsworth, *Secretary*;
Caroline T. Hunt, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mary Caroline Leach, *Superintendent*.

Home for American women, not less than sixty-five years of age,
residents of Amherst and Sunderland. Admission fee, \$400.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$185 79	Salaries and wages . .	\$381 07
From beneficiaries . .	2,500 00	Provisions and supplies . .	531 39
Subscriptions and donations . .	242 00	House furnishings, etc. . .	170 66
Income from investments . .	1,073 03	Fuel	108 84
Matron's receipts . . .	14 47	House improvements . .	418 45
		Gas range installed . .	53 00
		Interest	49 00
		Telephone, water, and inci- dentals	85 59
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,798 00
		Income invested	2,034 10
		Cash on hand	183 19
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	\$4,015 29		\$4,015 29

Value of investments, \$14,907.74.

ANDOVER.

ANDOVER GUILD, 10 Brook St., Andover. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Philip F. Ripley, *President*; Mrs. Bernard M. Allen, *Secretary*;
Frederic G. Moore, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Grace M. Tower, *Superintendent*.

Educational and philanthropic work in the town of Andover.
Sewing, millinery, cooking, and dressmaking for women's work.
Sloyd and basketry for boys' work. Gymnasium for all.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 347, all partly paying; number of
families aided, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$48 14	Salaries and wages	\$1,112 87
Subscriptions and donations	2,707 96	Printing, postage, and office supplies	52 83
Entertainments and sales	281 14	Heat, light, and power	347 29
Miscellaneous	25 62	Furnishings and incidental repairs	156 60
		Relief work	14 19
		Summer school	537 63
		Entertainments	113 52
		Class and club work	685 69
		Miscellaneous	27 23
		Total current expenses	\$3,047 85
		Cash on hand	15 05
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	\$3,062 90		\$3,062 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,000.

ANDOVER HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, 4 Punchard Ave., Andover. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Frederic S. Boutwell, *President*; Mrs. Ida M. McCurdy, *Secretary*; David Shaw, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mary C. Lewis, *Matron*.

Home for women, not less than sixty years of age, natives of Andover, or residents of Andover for not less than ten years prior to application. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$35 75	Salaries and wages	\$748 62
Income from investments	1,885 09	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 35
Miscellaneous	30 80	Provisions and supplies	502 98
		Heat, light, and power	325 14
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	101 79
		Miscellaneous	192 73
		Total current expenses	\$1,883 61
		Transferred to capital	68 03
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	\$1,951 64		\$1,951 64

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,764.98; value of investments, \$42,453.01.

ARLINGTON.

ORDER OF ST. ANNE (ST. JOHN'S HOUSE FOR CHILDREN), 181 Appleton St., Arlington Heights. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Sr. Etheldred, *President* and *Superintendent*; William Odlin, *Secretary*; Sr. Anne, *Treasurer*.

Religious, charitable, and educational.

Number of paid employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 23, viz., 2 paying, 14 partly paying, 7 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,400 24	Wages	\$1,269 55
Subscriptions and donations	8,074 82	Printing, postage, and office supplies	739 88
Income	2,004 46	Provisions and supplies	3,441 59
Board	1,432 00	Grounds and chapel	305 10
"Gems"	477 09	Heat and light	938 39
Miscellaneous	83 09	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,004 39
		Clothing	815 76
		Doctors and drugs	375 32
		Car fares and express	130 07
		Miscellaneous	290 58
		Total current expenses	\$9,310 63
		Interest on mortgage	1,004 89
		Building fund	2,138 44
		Cash on hand	1,017 74
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	\$13,471 70		\$13,471 70

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$24,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,775.

SYMME'S ARLINGTON HOSPITAL, off Summer St., Arlington. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

H. A. Phinney, *President*; E. A. Ryder, *Secretary*; J. L. Taylor, *Treasurer*.

To maintain a hospital and training school for nurses.

Number of paid employees, 14.

Number aided during year, 217.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,757 85	Salaries and wages	\$4,276 46
From beneficiaries	6,999 03	Printing, postage, and office supplies	528 03
Subscriptions and donations	7,425 96	Provisions and supplies	3,866 86
Interest	54 64	Heat, light, and power	939 38
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	386 94
		Insurance	43 07
		Corporation expenses	95 68
		Depreciation on furnishings and fixtures	1,104 48
		Miscellaneous	34 64
		Total current expenses	\$11,275 54
		Expenditures on capital account	12,064 17
		Supplies on hand	821 32
		Cash on hand	733 18
			\$24,894 21
		Payments on above bills not yet made	2,656 73
	\$22,237 48		\$22,237 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$45,011.58.

ATHOL.

ATHOL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 555 Main St., Athol.
(Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

L. S. Starrett, *President*; Wilbert C. Tandy, *Secretary*; Daniel P. Kimball, *Treasurer*; R. N. Berry, *General Secretary*.

The betterment — physically, mentally, morally, and spiritually — of all young men and boys living in Athol and vicinity. Fee from \$2 to \$10 per year.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 364.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$479 24	Salaries and wages	\$4,369 04
Subscriptions and donations	2,451 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	152 64
Membership and other fees	4,831 33	Provisions and supplies	133 02
Miscellaneous	99 15	Heat, light, and power	1,029 24
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	317 32
		Educational, religious work, etc.	785 90
		Miscellaneous	806 52
		Total current expenses	\$7,593 68
		Cash on hand	288 29
	\$7,861 97		\$7,861 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$55,000.

ATTLEBOROUGH.

ATTLEBOROUGH HOSPITAL (OPERATING STURDY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL), Park St., Attleborough. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

Joseph L. Sweet, *President*; Charles H. Wheeler, *Secretary*; Edward L. Gowen, *Treasurer*; Miss G. G. Rice, *Superintendent*.

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$55,000.

Sturdy Memorial Hospital opened April 14, 1913.

AVON.

THE LUTHERAN ORPHANS' HOME BOARD, Main St., Avon. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending April 12, 1913.

Dr. C. F. Johansson, *President*; Rev. F. A. Engstrand, *Secretary*; C. W. O. Lawson, *Treasurer*; Miss Amalia Rabenius, *Matron*.

To care for orphan and destitute children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 42, viz., 14 partly paying, 28 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$586 30	Salaries and wages	\$1,321 93
Subscriptions and donations	5,143 09	Printing, postage, and office supplies	112 51
Guardians	777 00	Provisions and supplies	1,856 17
Total current receipts	\$6,506 39	Interest, insurance, water, and tax	1,053 53
Loans to income	6,500 00	Heat, light, and power	242 12
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,530 69
		New buildings	6,356 54
		Miscellaneous	406 27
		Total current expenses	\$12,879 76
		Cash on hand	126 63
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	\$13,006 39		\$13,006 39

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$34,975; amount of mortgage on same, \$11,000.

AYER.

AYER HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, Ayer. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

George H. Hill, *President*; Thomas F. Mullin, *Secretary*; Edward A. Richardson, *Treasurer*.

Providing and maintaining a hospital in the town of Ayer for

the care, cure and relief of sick and injured persons irrespective of creed, color or nationality.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations .	\$800 00	Income invested . . .	\$16 00
Income from investments .	16 00	Cash on hand . . .	800 00
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	\$816 00		\$816 00

Not yet in operation.

BARNSTABLE.

HYANNIS NORMAL STUDENTS' PERMANENT LOAN FUND COMPANY, Barnstable. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending June 26, 1913.

William A. Baldwin, *President*; Charles H. Morrill, *Secretary*;
Edward L. Chase, *Treasurer*.

To aid promising students in procuring an education at the Hyannis Normal School by means of loans and otherwise.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$365 14	Loaned to beneficiaries . .	\$629 00
From beneficiaries . . .	68 80	Cash on hand . . .	175 52
Contributions . . .	370 58		
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	\$804 52		\$804 52

Value of investments, \$1,400.

BARRE.

STETSON HOME, Barre. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Henry A. Pevear, *President*; Frederic S. Pevear, *Secretary*;
H. Theodore Pevear, *Treasurer*; Ralph H. Walker, *Superintendent*.

Home for orphan boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 47.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$873 01	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,529 25
Subscriptions and donations .	7,555 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	128 21
Income from investments .	4,435 00	Provisions and supplies . .	3,234 63
		Heat, light, and power . .	949 72
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	670 46
		Farm supplies . . .	2,108 41
		Miscellaneous . . .	621 30
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		Total current expenses . .	\$11,241 98
		Cash on hand . . .	1,621 82
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	\$12,863 80		\$12,863 80

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$23,725; value of investments, \$86,768.84.

BEVERLY.

BEVERLY FEMALE CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Beverly. (Incorporated 1836.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. O. F. Swasey, *President*; Mrs. George A. Woodbury, *Secretary*; Miss Louisa B. Kilham, *Treasurer*.

To aid the deserving poor of Beverly.

Number aided during year, 24; number of families aided, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$24 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$0 30
From beneficiaries	3 75	To beneficiaries	188 00
Annuities and bequests to income	100 00	Total current expenses	188 30
Income from investments	197 01	Income invested	18 39
		Cash on hand	118 67
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	\$325 36		\$325 36

Value of investments, \$3,300.

BEVERLY FUEL SOCIETY, 155 Cabot St., Beverly. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Patrick J. Lynch, *President*; Benjamin A. Patch, *Secretary*; Charles F. Lee, *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

Distribution of fuel to the worthy poor of Beverly.

Number aided during year, 74.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$560 93	Fuel	\$486 99
Subscriptions and donations	105 00	Total current expenses	486 99
Income from investments	370 18	Income invested	5 18
Tax refunded by Commonwealth	20 04	Cash on hand	563 98
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	\$1,056 15		\$1,056 15

Value of investments, \$8,383.93.

BEVERLY HEBREW LADIES' ASSOCIATION, 200 Rantoul St., Beverly. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Mrs. Morris E. Katz, *President*; Mrs. Sarah Pofcher, *Secretary*; Mrs. Jacob L. Rubinstein, *Treasurer*.

Charitable purposes; chiefly local cases.

Number aided during year, 25; number of families aided, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$90 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$10 00
Subscriptions and donations	60 00	Provisions and supplies	7 50
		Rent	5 00
		Heat, light, and power	25 00
		Total current expenses	\$47 50
		Income invested	102 50
	<hr/> \$150 00		<hr/> \$150 00

BEVERLY HOSPITAL CORPORATION, corner Herrick and Heather Sts., Beverly. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

John L. Saltonstall, *President*; Roland W. Boyden, *Secretary*; Augustus P. Loring, *Treasurer*; Miss Alice C. S. Cushing, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of the sick, especially the worthy poor of Beverly, and other general purposes of a hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 36.

Number aided during year in institution, 675, viz., 435 paying, 37 partly paying, 203 free; outside institution (district nursing), 252, viz., 104 paying, 64 partly paying, 84 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$14,764 36	Administration	\$12,263 96
Subscriptions and donations	13,796 40	Deficit January 1, 1912	134 32
Income from investments	2,895 86	Provisions	8,028 59
District nursing (fees)	823 04	Department	600 47
Supplies sold	26 28	General house	6,942 29
		Medical and surgical supplies	2,875 00
		Total current expenses	\$30,844 63
		Cash on hand	1,461 31
	<hr/> \$32,305 94		<hr/> \$32,305 94

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$171,483.37; value of investments, \$63,466.23.

FISHER CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 171 Cabot St., Beverly. (Incorporated 1809.)

Report for year ending October 5, 1913.

William R. Driver, *President*; Arthur K. Story, *Secretary*; Charles H. Kilham, *Treasurer*.¹

To aid the worthy poor of Beverly.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 97.

¹ Rodney C. Larcom elected treasurer October 3, 1913.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,295 45	Aid paid	\$1,181 00
Subscriptions and donations	250 00	Endowment lot (cemetery)	150 00
Income from investments	1,520 56	Miscellaneous	4 12
		Total current expenses	\$1,335 12
		Cash on hand	1,730 89
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	\$3,066 01		\$3,066 01

Value of investments, \$51,237.82.

NEW ENGLAND INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR DEAF MUTES, 283 Elliott St., Beverly. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Dudley L. Pickman, *President*; Albert Boyden, *Secretary*; Benjamin A. Patch, *Treasurer*; Louis Upham, *Principal*.

Education of the deaf.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Collector employed on commission.

Number aided during year, 32, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$965 61	Salaries and wages	\$3,976 66
Subscriptions and donations	1,306 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	101 90
Income from investments	2,545 50	Provisions and supplies	3,456 07
Collections	763 50	Heat, light, and power	772 89
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	3,500 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	549 32
Miscellaneous	502 82	Miscellaneous	241 23
		Total current expenses	\$9,098 07
		Cash on hand	485 36
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	\$9,583 43		\$9,583 43

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, about \$7,000; value of investments, about \$75,000.

OLD LADIES' HOME SOCIETY, 12 Lovett St., Beverly. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Miss Lizzie F. Creesy, *President*; Mrs. Mary A. V. Norwood, *Secretary*; Edward S. Webber, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Hattie A. Shaw, *Matron*.

Home for aged women at least sixty years of age, residents of Beverly for ten years. Admission fee, \$100.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$459 91	Salaries and wages	\$908 60
From beneficiaries	200 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	5 35
Subscriptions and donations	352 62	Provisions and supplies	841 39
Income from investments	1,403 85	Heat, light, and power	220 09
Payment on loans	500 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	57 93
Sale of bonds	1,030 00	Miscellaneous	158 83
Miscellaneous	19 58		
		Total current expenses	\$2,192 19
Total current receipts	\$3,765 96	Income invested	2,390 00
Loans to income	500 00	Cash on hand	283 77
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	\$4,865 96		\$4,865 96

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$5,000; value of investments, \$28,450.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 247 Cabot St., Beverly.
(Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

H. O. Woodbury, *President*; Albert B. Smith, *Secretary*; George F. Goldthwaite, *Treasurer*.

The spiritual, mental, physical, and social improvement of young men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$324 00	Salaries and wages	\$6,486 28
Subscriptions and donations	2,862 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	267 16
Memberships	3,956 25	Heat, light, and power	1,511 00
Rent of dormitories	4,207 88	Socials and meetings	758 31
Lockers, bowling, etc. . . .	2,156 17	Periodicals	62 25
		Repairs	234 04
		Miscellaneous, including interest and insurance	4,026 38
		Total current expenses	\$13,345 42
		Cash on hand	161 38
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	\$13,506 80		\$13,506 80

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$150,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$30,000.

BLANDFORD.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY OF BLANDFORD, Main St., Blandford. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending October 10, 1913.

Mrs. C. G. Hinsdale, *President*; Mrs. Loring P. Lane, *Secretary*; Mrs. Bertha M. Shurtleff, *Treasurer*.

For promoting the social and religious interests of the town; for

charitable objects, and aiding financially the Ecclesiastical Society of the First Congregational Church of Blandford.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$580 00	Provisions and supplies	\$35 84
Subscriptions and donations	11 75	Pastor's salary	50 00
Suppers, fairs, etc.	282 22	Painting church, etc.	357 30
		Total current expenses	\$443 14
		Cash on hand	430 83
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	\$873 97		\$873 97

BOSTON.

ADAMS NERVINE ASYLUM, 990 Centre St., Jamaica Plain. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Henry Parkman, *President*; Amory Eliot, *Secretary*; Edward W. Grew, *Treasurer*; Rachel Bourke, *Matron and Superintendent of Nurses*.

Care and relief of indigent, debilitated, and nervous persons, not insane, inhabitants of Massachusetts, and of other persons not indigent.

Number of paid officers or employees, 58.

Number aided during year, 214, viz., 19 paying, 13 partly paying, 62 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,027 01	Salaries and wages	\$21,447 20
From beneficiaries	20,905 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	149 58
Income from investments	37,843 86	Provisions and supplies	16,589 36
Miscellaneous	414 44	Heat, light, and power	5,761 39
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	5,932 99
		Water and ice	1,363 92
		Medicine and apparatus	624 13
		Stable	1,078 09
		Insurance	2,113 67
		Miscellaneous	2,008 51
		Total current expenses	\$57,118 84
		Cash on hand	6,074 07
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	\$63,192 91		\$63,192 91

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$120,000; value of investments, \$29,546.57; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$797,889.60.

AMERICAN BAPTIST FOREIGN MISSION SOCIETY, Ford Building, Ashburton Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1846.)

Report for year ending June 8, 1913.

Carter Helm Jones, D.D., *President*; George B. Huntington, *Secretary*; Ernest S. Butler, *Treasurer*.

Diffusing the knowledge of the religion of Jesus Christ by means of missions throughout the world.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations . . .	\$1,048,003 19	Appropriations for the foreign field . . .	\$1,100,168 94
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	99,949 75	Expenditures in United States . . .	134,897 79
Income from investments . . .	47,570 74		
Total current receipts	\$1,195,523 68		
Deficit April 1, 1913 . . .	39,543 05		
	<hr/> \$1,235,066 73		<hr/> \$1,235,066 73

Value of investments, \$1,325,914.04.

AMERICAN INVALID AID SOCIETY OF BOSTON, 73 Tremont St., Room 707, Boston. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Hon. Louis C. Southard, *President*; Mrs. E. W. Waite, *Secretary*; A. B. Upham, *Treasurer*.

To assist incipient consumptives and others who are in danger of becoming tuberculous, to recover their health. Incurable cases are occasionally aided.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 124.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$44 12	Salaries and wages . . .	\$450 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,259 95	Printing, postage, office supplies, and telephone . . .	165 92
Income from investments . . .	26 00	Rent . . .	405 00
		Aid to invalids . . .	1,116 83
		Miscellaneous . . .	4 50
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,142 25
		Cash on hand . . .	187 82
	<hr/> \$2,330 07		<hr/> \$2,330 07

Value of investments, \$469.

AMERICAN RAMABAI ASSOCIATION, 222 Boylston St., Boston. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Rev. Harlan P. Beach, *President*; Miss Alice H. Baldwin, *Secretary*; Curtis Chipman, *Treasurer*; Ramabai Dongre Medhavi, *Superintendent*.

To promote and assist in the education, and to ameliorate the condition, of widows, deserted wives, and unmarried girls, all of the higher castes in India.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 2,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$807 91	Salaries and wages	\$500 00
Subscriptions and donations	2,545 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies	321 66
Rentals	1,000 00	Remitted to India	3,201 52
		Total current expenses	\$4,023 18
		Cash on hand	330 70
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	\$4,353 88		\$4,353 88

Value of investments, \$3,750.

AMERICAN UNITARIAN ASSOCIATION, 25 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1847.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Rev. Samuel A. Eliot, *President*; Rev. Lewis G. Wilson, *Secretary*; Henry M. Williams, *Treasurer*.

Moral, religious, educational, and charitable purposes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$15,541 70	Salaries and wages	\$22,284 56
Subscriptions and donations	69,280 09	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,480 56
Annuities and bequests to income	82,910 37	Publishing tracts	7,272 22
Income from investments	89,201 54	Income of special trusts	38,137 28
Church building loan fund	1,013 77	Heat, light, and power	840 14
Sale of books and pamphlets	17,199 75	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,816 60
Receipts for special purposes	20,416 50	Publishing books and pamphlets	20,141 36
Interest	850 93	Home missions	72,534 38
Miscellaneous	1,051 86	Foreign mission work	6,770 35
		Pensions	3,865 92
		Miscellaneous	11,735 76
		Total current expenses	\$187,879 13
		Income invested	81,322 34
		Cash on hand	28,265 04
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	\$297,466 51		\$297,466 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$200,000; value of investments, \$387,698.01.

ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE, 51 Carver St., Boston. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Mrs. Huntington Smith, *President*; Mrs. Arthur T. Cabot, *Secretary*; Mrs. Livingston Cushing, *Treasurer*; Mrs. M. A. Kelly, *Superintendent*.

The care of homeless and neglected animals.

Number of paid officers or employees, 21.

Number of animals aided during year, 61,631, viz., 10,112 partly paying, 50,859 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$26,237 18	Salaries and wages	\$12,272 61
Subscriptions and donations	13,411 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,758 41
Annuities and bequests to income	18,798 37	Provisions and supplies	931 31
Income from investments	1,666 22	Taxes, water, and insurance	291 45
Fair	4,180 00	Heat, light, and power	1,162 90
Miscellaneous	852 43	Furnishings and incidental repairs	367 08
		Telephone	284 08
		Animal Rescue League branches	754 24
		Motor and dog ambulance	1,433 71
		Interest on mortgage	600 40
		Horse rescue fund	458 90
		Pine Ridge fund	340 47
		Miscellaneous	1,511 22
		Total current expenses	\$22,166 78
		Income invested	8,951 87
		Cash on hand	34,027 34
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	\$65,145 99		\$65,145 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$68,085.09; amount of mortgage on same, \$20,000; value of investments, \$32,863.68.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF BOSTON, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Charles P. Putnam, *President*; Arthur D. Adams, *Clerk*; Henry B. Cabot, *Treasurer*.

To raise the needy above relief, diminish pauperism, aid the poor to help themselves, secure harmonious action of the charities of Boston, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 46.

Dr.		Cr.	
Subscriptions and donations	\$34,407 02	Salaries and wages:	
Annuities and bequests to income	1,000 00	Administration	\$7,719 60
Income from investments	7,368 31	Confidential exchange	5,856 79
Miscellaneous	186 17	Field staff	21,136 74
		Departments	2,849 14
Total current receipts	\$42,961 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3,248 31
Loans to income	5,460 87	Rent, care of offices, heat, light, and power	3,618 64
		Telephone	2,761 90
		Miscellaneous	1,231 25
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	\$48,422 37		\$48,422 37

Value of investments, \$147,161.90.

ASSOCIATION FOR THE WORK OF MERCY IN THE DIOCESE OF MASSACHUSETTS, 244 Townsend St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Miss Catherine A. Codman, *President*; Mrs. Malcolm Storer, *Secretary*; Leverett S. Tuckerman, *Treasurer*; Miss Anna M. Barbour, *Matron*.

Rescue and relief of fallen women and charitable work connected therewith. Without restriction or admission fees.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 45: outside institution, 34.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$66 17	Salaries and wages	\$1,322 12
Subscriptions and donations	5,377 71	Printing, postage, and office supplies	96 70
Income from investments	719 48	Provisions and supplies	2,440 61
		Interest on mortgage	22 50
		Heat, light, and power	525 85
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	349 40
		New cesspool	850 00
		Insurance	12 88
		Outside work for past inmates	388 83
		Total current expenses	\$6,008 89
		Transferred to capital account	131 26
		Cash on hand	23 21
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	\$6,163 26		\$6,163 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$17,250; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,000; value of investments, \$16,676.36.

ASSOCIATION OF THE EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH FOR WORKS OF MERCY, Baker St., West Roxbury. (Incorporated 1871.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Adolf H. Biewend, *President*; Rev. J. F. Pfeiffer, *Secretary*; Emil Reichenbach, *Treasurer*; Rev. Theo S. Keyl, *Superintendent*.

To aid orphans and half-orphans of three years and over (German Lutherans preferred), under the name of the Martin Luther Orphans' Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

Number aided during year, 42, viz., 12 partly paying, 30 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,813 02	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,789 09
From beneficiaries . . .	1,184 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	84 51
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,924 31	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,433 74
Income from investments . . .	371 37	Heat, light, and power . . .	531 87
Income from industries . . .	5,364 97	Furnishings and incidental repairs	548 74
		Farm expenses	97 18
		Cemetery	74 59
		Printing department . . .	1,258 68
		Miscellaneous	188 94
		Total current expenses . .	\$10,007 34
		Cash on hand	1,650 83
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	\$11,658 17		\$11,658 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; value of investments, \$14,076.28.

**ASSOCIATION OF THE HAWTHORNE CLUB, 3 and 4 Garland St., Boston.
Hawthorne Club Country House, Weymouth. (Incorporated 1906.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Miss Lillian V. Robinson, *President*; Mrs. Robert Grant, *Secretary*; Charles E. Stratton, *Treasurer*; Miss Davis, *Playground Superintendent*; Miss Meehan, *Country House Superintendent*.

Educational and social work in the neighborhood (especially among children). Classes in industrial training, vacation for children, and maintenance of summer playground.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 200 in classes; 600 in playground.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,129 28	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,137 50
From beneficiaries . . .	84 36	Provisions and supplies . . .	937 42
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,451 95	Rent	775 00
Income from investments . . .	137 12	Heat and light	151 94
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	510 78
		Miscellaneous	170 06
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,682 70
		Cash on hand	3,120 01
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	\$6,802 71		\$6,802 71

Value of investments, \$1,672.25.

**AUXILIARY RELIEF BRANCH OF THE RUSSIAN AND POLISH JEWISH
CENTRAL COMMITTEE AT JERUSALEM, 5 Stillman St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1900.)**

Report for year ending September 26, 1913.

Isaac B. Reinherz, *President*; Rabbi S. J. Freiderman, *Secretary*; Nathan L. Greenblatt, *Treasurer*.

Assisting needy Russian and Polish Jews at Jerusalem.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Employs a collector on commission.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$0 82	Salaries and wages	\$1,194 65
Subscriptions and donations	4,535 41	Printing, postage, and office supplies	53 00
Total current receipts	\$4,536 23	Circulars received from rabbi of St. Louis	21 70
Due to treasurer	16 01	Cable to Jerusalem	5 40
		Forwarded to Jerusalem	3,273 80
		Miscellaneous	3 69
	<hr/> \$4,552 24		<hr/> \$4,552 24

BARNARD MEMORIAL, 10 Warrenton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1863.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

John S. Richardson, *President*; Edward A. Talbot, *Secretary*; Frank T. Vose, *Treasurer*; Rev. B. F. McDaniel, *Superintendent*.

Moral, religious, and industrial training of children by means of classes, meetings, and personal work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$337 23	Salaries and wages	\$3,233 00
From beneficiaries	20,000 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	517 34
Subscriptions and donations	281 17	Heat, light, and power	538 14
Annuities and bequests to income	273 56	Furnishings and incidental repairs	458 98
Income from investments	4,884 89	New organ and alterations to building for same	5,180 32
Janitor service to city kindergarten	300 00	Insurance	160 76
Sale of old organ	200 00	New stereopticon	250 15
Miscellaneous	139 28	Subscriptions refunded for organ	87 00
		Miscellaneous	246 00
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	\$26,416 13	Total current expenses	\$10,671 69
		Income invested	15,400 53
		Cash on hand	343 91
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			\$26,416 13

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$82,000; value of investments, \$107,446.43.

BAY STATE DISPENSARY, 43 Charter St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Samuel W. Lawson, *President* and *Treasurer*; Mary Morey, M.D., *Secretary* and *Superintendent*.

To give free medical and surgical treatment to the worthy poor among all classes of people.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 3,203, viz., 1,200 partly paying, 2,003 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$445 95	Salaries and wages . . .	\$62 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	216 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	7 50
		Provisions and supplies . . .	286 45
		Rent . . .	216 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	27 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	33 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	30 00
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	\$661 95		\$661 95

BENEFICENT SOCIETY OF THE NEW ENGLAND CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC, New England Conservatory, Huntington Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Mrs. Charles H. Bond, *President*; Mrs. Chauncy B. Allen, *Secretary*; Mrs. Henry M. Dunham, *Treasurer*.

To aid needy and worthy students of the New England Conservatory by lending them money without interest.

Number aided during year, 11.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,650 37	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$19 95
Returned loans . . .	544 00	Annual meeting . . .	15 02
Subscriptions and donations . .	406 00	Loans to beneficiaries . . .	1,331 50
Income from investments . .	240 99		
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,366 47
		Cash on hand . . .	1,474 89
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	\$2,841 36		\$2,841 36

Value of investments, \$5,000.

BENOTH ISRAEL SHELTERING HOME, 15 Cooper St., Boston. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Hyman Goodowsky, *President*; Samuel Klain, *Secretary*; Michael Magid, *Treasurer*; Hyman and Rachael Kanterowitz, *Superintendent* and *Matron*.

To give temporary shelter to deserving Israelites and aid them to obtain employment.

Number of paid employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 720.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$333 67	Salaries and wages . . .	\$311 63
Subscriptions and donations	1,431 19	Printing, postage, and office supplies	36 95
Annuities and bequests to income	709 83	Provisions and supplies	956 05
		Heat, light, and power	108 02
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	106 47
		Interest on mortgage	180 00
		Water tax	14 00
		Help to poor	55 70
		Laundry	39 23
		Miscellaneous	48 96
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,857 01
		Cash on hand	617 68
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	\$2,474 69		\$2,474 69

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,000.

THE BERKELEY INFIRMARY, 44 Dwight St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Frederick S. Pratt, *President*; Miss Adelaide E. Breck, *Secretary*; Clifton H. Dwinnell, *Treasurer*; Mabel M. Barkley, *Superintendent*.

To care for the sick poor, irrespective of nationality or creed. To advance the knowledge of preventive medicine and of the care of disease among the poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 1,376, viz., 1,020 partly paying, 356 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$80 41	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,164 32
Subscriptions and donations	1,823 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	96 55
Clinical and dental receipts	1,026 18	Insurance	105 53
Entertainments	168 17	Heat, light, and power	274 79
Miscellaneous	53 15	Furnishings and incidental repairs	146 25
		Medicines and supplies and surgical instruments	534 06
Total current receipts . .	\$3,151 16	Interest on mortgage and loans	291 51
Loans to income	250 00	Miscellaneous	779 10
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,392 11
		Cash on hand	9 05
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	\$3,401 16		\$3,401 16

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,500.

**BETHANY UNION FOR YOUNG WOMEN, 14 Worcester St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1899.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Arthur E. Mason, *President*; James H. Whitman, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Adelaide B. Kimmell, *Superintendent*.

To furnish a safe and comfortable home for Protestant young women earning small wages.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 65, all paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,038 82	Salaries and wages	\$2,860 26
From beneficiaries	9,318 46	Printing, postage, and office supplies	144 17
Subscriptions and donations	980 50	Provisions and supplies	3,502 81
Bequest	1,440 00	Heat, light, and power	1,134 37
Income from investments	261 12	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,364 22
On account principal of mortgage notes	150 00	Laundry	225 93
		Interest on mortgage loan	261 00
		Aid to beneficiaries	260 00
		Miscellaneous	114 46
		Total current expenses	\$9,867 22
		Income invested	2,400 00
		Cash on hand	2,921 68
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	\$15,188 90		\$15,188 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$27,100; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,900; value of investments, \$6,300.

BOARD OF MINISTERIAL AID, 609 Congregational House, Boston. (Incorporated 1869.)

Report for eight months ending December 31, 1912.

Arthur H. Wellman, *President*; Arthur C. Farley, *Secretary*; Charles L. Ziegler, *Treasurer*.

To aid aged, disabled, or needy ministers of the Orthodox Congregational denomination in the Commonwealth, and the widows and children of such ministers.

Number of families aided, 50.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,248 43	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$103 47
Subscriptions and donations	4,057 64	Aid to beneficiaries	5,366 25
Annuities and bequests to income	300 00	Total current expenses	\$5,469 72
Income from investments	2,024 15	Cash on hand	3,160 50
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	\$8,630 22		\$8,630 22

Value of investments, \$59,523.51.

BOSTON ASSOCIATION FOR THE RELIEF AND CONTROL OF TUBERCULOSIS, 4 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Robert Treat Paine, *President*; Mrs. William H. Lothrop, *Clerk*; George S. Mumford, *Treasurer*; Seymour H. Stone, *Secretary*.

To promote a careful study of conditions regarding tuberculosis in Boston; to educate public opinion as to the causes and prevention of tuberculosis; to arouse general interest in securing adequate provision for the proper care of tuberculous patients in their homes or hospitals and sanatoria.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 61, viz., 4 paying, 43 partly paying, 14 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,841 85	Salaries and wages	\$6,720 13
From beneficiaries	2,453 80	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,556 69
Subscriptions and donations	7,398 95	Provisions and supplies	2,638 50
Massachusetts Conference on Tuberculosis	65 00	Rent	404 21
Red Cross Christmas seals	4,602 26	Heat, light, power, and laundry	521 54
Domestic science visitor outfit	154 73	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,061 60
Interest	124 16	Massachusetts Conference on Tuberculosis	77 49
Miscellaneous	70 77	Domestic science visitor	469 11
	<hr/>	Red Cross Christmas seals	1,975 27
		Insurance, taxes, lectures, and exhibit	236 94
		Total current expenses	\$16,661 48
		Cash on hand	3,050 04
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	\$19,711 52		\$19,711 52

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$23,797.89; value of investments, \$5,022.95.

BOSTON BAPTIST BETHEL SOCIETY, 330 Hanover St., Boston. (Incorporated 1852.)

Report for year ending April 22, 1913.

Alfred C. Fuller, *President*; Walter L. VanKleeck, *Secretary*; Gilbert A. A. Pevey, *Treasurer*.

To maintain preaching and other gospel services, and to assist the worthy poor and minister to the moral and spiritual welfare of the community, in co-operation with the First Boston Baptist Mariners' Church.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year not reported.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$62 77	Salaries and wages	\$5,538 52
Subscriptions and donations	3,503 74	Printing, postage, and office supplies	341 72
Rents	1,917 12	Provisions and supplies	267 77
Notes discounted	2,500 00	Heat, light, and power	569 37
		Taxes, insurance, and interest	444 30
		Repairs	252 74
		Miscellaneous	292 20
		Total current expenses	\$7,706 62
		Cash on hand	278 01
	<hr/> \$7,984 63		<hr/> \$7,984 63

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$64,400; value of investments, \$767.90.

BOSTON BAPTIST SOCIAL UNION, Ashburton Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

William E. Blodgett, *President*; Ray Greene Huling, *Secretary*; William G. Burbeck, *Treasurer*.

Mary Anna Home, Shirley, Mass., where summer vacations are given mothers and children. Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. work, also relief work, and institutional work at Ruggles Street Baptist Church. Ford Hall Sunday evening meetings for working men and their families and working women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year, 1,037; attendance at summer school, 4,662.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$924 61	Salaries and wages . .	\$14,455 78
Subscriptions and donations	2,069 41	Printing, postage, and office supplies	114 25
Income from investments	715 41	Provisions and supplies	738 25
Trustees	21,000 00	Rent	500 00
Reserve fund	1,428 30	Heat, light, and power	1,174 62
Rent	15 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,854 95
Mary Anna Home, Shirley	327 64	Relief fund	1,840 00
		Brotherhood	300 00
		Women's work, Y. W. C. A., and music	1,358 02
		Mary Anna Home, etc.	1,811 25
		Ford Hall meetings	2,319 55
		Total current expenses	\$26,466 67
		Cash on hand	13 70
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	\$26,480 37		\$26,480 37

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,900; value of investments, about \$1,063,030.

BOSTON BRANCH BARON DE HIRSCH FUND, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for eight months ending January 15, 1913.

Ferdinand Strauss, *Chairman*; Edward E. Norton, *Secretary*; A. C. Ratshesky, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Martha M. Silverman, *Superintendent*.

To instruct Jewish immigrants, assist them to obtain employment, and to provide for their removal and settlement in places outside of Boston.

Number aided during year, 508, viz., 5 partly paying, 503 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$687 35	Transportation, etc. . . .	\$156 60
From beneficiaries	94 20	Treasurer's fidelity bond	7 50
Subscriptions and donations	450 00	Miscellaneous	10
Miscellaneous	10 00	Total current expenses	\$164 20
		Cash on hand	1,077 35
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	\$1,241 55		\$1,241 55

Value of investments, \$2,669.93.

BOSTON CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Horatio A. Lamb, *President*; J. Prentice Murphy, *Secretary*; I. Tucker Burr, *Treasurer*.

Provides for exposed, destitute, and wayward children; studies questions relating to children; promotes needed legislation and encourages co-operation among child-helping societies; takes juvenile offenders on probation; undertakes oversight of children in their own homes; places libraries in families.

Number of paid officers or employees, 25.

Number of children cared for in foster homes, 422; the society reimbursed for expense of these exclusive of supervision: in full, 79; in part, 112; not reimbursed, 231. Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 247. Number of placing-out visitors, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$8,151 40	Salaries and wages . . .	\$22,595 54
Subscriptions and donations . . .	23,707 26	Printing and office supplies . . .	1,240 18
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,700 00	Heat, light, power, and care of office . . .	676 40
Income from investments . . .	10,237 39	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	183 26
Overseers of the poor . . .	2,754 71	Settlement of Rolland estate . . .	295 25
Charitable societies . . .	1,497 24	Transportation . . .	3,103 66
Fees and refunds . . .	589 77	Accountant . . .	70 00
		Fees . . .	90 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$49,637 77	Donation to social service library . . .	100 00
Appropriations to income . . .	7,688 00	To committee on feeble-minded . . .	100 00
		Taxes, insurance and collection charges . . .	553 71
		Advertising . . .	257 93
		Postage, express, telephone, and telegraph . . .	2,157 48
		Office library . . .	72 70
		Payments to families receiving military aid through B. C. A. S. . . .	333 64
		Home libraries . . .	348 83
		Tuition for special training . . .	299 77
		Board, clothing, and medical care . . .	24,283 65
		Miscellaneous . . .	563 77
	\$57,325 77		\$57,325 77

Value of investments, \$190,000.

BOSTON CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, 48 Rutland St., Boston. (Incorporated 1834.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Costello C. Converse, *President*; Mrs. Frank R. Thomas, *Clerk*; William Q. Wales, *Treasurer*; Carrington Howard, *General Secretary*.

Needy and neglected children provided with home life in private families when impossible to readjust conditions at home; children given oversight in their own homes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number of children cared for in foster homes, 164; society reimbursed (according to agreement, not by actual standing of accounts) for expense of these exclusive of supervision: in full, 60, including children in free and wage homes who were small or no expense; in part, 58; not reimbursed, 36. Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 117½. Number of placing-out visitors, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,206 47	Salaries and wages	\$6,361 56
From beneficiaries	5,762 49	Printing, postage, and office supplies	474 13
Subscriptions and donations	5,121 34	Board and clothing	13,502 56
Donations for special children:		Heat, light, and water	73 20
From individuals	506 43	Furnishings and incidental repairs	50 60
From churches and charitable organizations	230 50	Medical and dental expenses	361 09
Income from investments	4,403 81	Travel	1,221 30
Miscellaneous	40 12	Telephone and telegraph	228 92
		Advertising	158 26
		Miscellaneous	603 53
Total current receipts	\$19,271 16	Total current expenses	\$23,035 75
Loans to income	2,500 00	Loan repaid	1,000 00
Investments matured	8,000 00	Investments	29,449 17
Legacies	25,300 00	Cash on hand	1,586 24
	\$55,071 16		\$55,071 16

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,000; value of investments, \$132,000.

THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 Harrison Ave., Boston; the South Department for Contagious Diseases, 745 Massachusetts Ave., Boston; the Relief Stations, Haymarket Sq., Boston, and 14 Porter St., East Boston; Convalescent Home, 2150 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1880.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

A. Shuman, *President*; Joseph P. Manning, *Secretary*; John H. McCollom, M.D., *Superintendent*.

For the temporary relief of sick or injured persons.

Number aided in institution at beginning of year, 805; number received during year, 16,199; number leaving during year, 16,034; number at end of year, 970. Total number aided during year, 17,004, viz., 5,610 paying and partly paying. 11,394 free. Number of out-patients treated, 93,955, all free.

Number of paid officers or employees, 709.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
City appropriation . . .	\$584,000 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$258,247 83
Additional appropriation, X-ray clinic . . .	5,000 00	Provisions and supplies . .	196,482 83
Additional appropriation, orthopedic department . .	5,000 00	Drugs and medicines . . .	44,002 45
State patients . . .	30,619 06	Repairs and improvements .	29,023 19
City and town patients . .	24,512 74	Heating and lighting . . .	50,711 96
Private patients . . .	26,973 17	Printing, stationery, and postage . . .	8,966 05
Collection by board of health for contagious cases at hospital . . .	29,007 52	Total hospital expenses . .	\$587,434 31
Interest from investments .	1,964 00	Paid to city collector ¹ . .	113,249 65
Reimbursement for pay of special nurses . . .	447 00		\$700,683 96
Revenue from estate Massachusetts Ave. and Northampton St. . .	1,254 33	Unexpended balance . . .	8,976 69
Sale of old material, in- cluding second-hand am- bulance and horse . . .	491 44		
On account of defective ceiling, measles ward . .	300 00		
Interest on bank deposits .	51 09		
Commission on automatic telephone . . .	22 80		
Birth registration . . .	17 50		
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	\$709,660 65		\$709,660 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,578,800; value of investments, \$77,383.03.

BOSTON COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN, 4 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Esther M. Andrews, *President*; Anna Harris Levy, *Secretary*; Rose L. Schellenberg, *Treasurer*.

To further united efforts in the work of social betterment through religion, philanthropy, and education. Supplies two persons for probation work in Boston Juvenile Court and two persons for work among immigrants.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 488 delinquents; 525 cases of immigrants investigated.

¹ These receipts, consisting of money from paying patients, revenue from estate, Massachusetts Ave. and Northampton St., sale of old material, money paid on account of defective ceiling, measles ward, interest on bank deposits, commission on automatic telephone, birth registration fees, and the unexpended balance, amounting to \$113,341.37, were paid to the city collector and were not available for hospital purposes.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$666 81	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,214 00
From sinking fund . . .	950 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	414 77
Subscriptions and donations . . .	965 24	Denver Hospital	40 75
Benefit performance	1,960 92	Rent	354 16
Sunday schools	235 96	Telephone	12 00
Members' dues	998 00	Massachusetts State Federation	22 45
Year Book advertisements . . .	155 00	Immigrant aid department . . .	97 38
For Denver Hospital for Consumptives	40 75	Juvenile Court department . . .	16 63
Junior council dues	29 00	Sabbath schools department . . .	458 73
Miscellaneous	51 34	Dayton flood sufferers	200 00
		Miscellaneous	11 84
		Total current expenses . . .	\$4,842 71
		Cash on hand	1,210 31
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	\$6,053 02		\$6,053 02

BOSTON DISPENSARY, 25 Bennet St., Boston. (Incorporated 1801.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Edward R. Warren, *President*; Malcolm S. Greenough, *Secretary*; Ashton L. Carr, *Treasurer*; Michael M. Davis, Jr., *Director*.

To afford medical advice and relief to the sick poor; provide medicines; assist in educational and remedial efforts for the prevention of disease.

Number of paid officers or employees, 105.

Number aided during year in institution, 30,471, about two-thirds partly paying and about one-third free; outside institution, 8,101.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$29,197 95	Salaries and wages	\$49,363 96
Subscriptions and donations . . .	11,058 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,493 99
Annuities and bequests to income	1,000 00	Provisions and supplies	6,218 49
Income from investments	18,088 20	Insurance and telephone . . .	2,358 53
Real estate	255 50	Heat, light, and power	5,396 89
Miscellaneous	108 98	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,750 59
Total current receipts	\$59,708 63	Medicines and drugs	7,117 86
Loans to income	24,497 32	Medical and surgical supplies	5,858 95
		Laundry	548 34
		Equipment	1,324 51
		Miscellaneous	1,773 84
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	\$84,205 95		\$84,205 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$200,000; value of investments, \$313,609.30.

BOSTON EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR DEAF CHILDREN, Boston. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Robert L. Studley, *President*; Robert H. Hallowell, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To promote the education and welfare of deaf children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 45.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$909 06	Salaries and wages	\$873 42
Subscriptions and donations	797 00	Cash on hand	971 69
Income from investments	138 05		
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	\$1,845 11		\$1,845 11

Value of investments, \$2,952.50.

BOSTON EPISCOPAL CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1784.)

Report for year ending March 15, 1913.

Francis W. Hunnewell, *President*; Stephen Chase, *Secretary*; John S. Lawrence, *Treasurer*.

The relief of persons who are or have been members of the society and their families, the widows and minor children of persons who at the time of their decease shall have been ministers of an Episcopal church in this Commonwealth, and of persons who belong to the Protestant Episcopal Church and are inhabitants of the city of Boston.

Number of families aided, 56.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$480 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$24 12
Income from investments	6,140 83	Rent of safe	10 00
		Quarterly grants	5,990 00
		Interest	243 46
		Miscellaneous	6 35
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		Total current expenses	\$6,273 93
		Cash on hand	347 50
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	\$6,621 43		\$6,621 43

Value of investments, \$137,965.

BOSTON EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY, 167 Charles St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Ralph W. Place, *President*; Maybin W. Brown, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

For the treatment of diseases of the eye and ear.

Number aided during year, 1,575, viz., 1,299 partly paying, 276 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$27 17	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$33 28
From beneficiaries	1,234 74	Rent	550 00
Rent	300 00	Heat, light, and power	34 16
		Miscellaneous	927 06
		Total current expenses	\$1,544 50
		Cash on hand	17 41
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	\$1,561 91		\$1,561 91

BOSTON FATHERLESS AND WIDOWS' SOCIETY, 1145 Old South Building, Boston. (Incorporated 1837.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Mrs. A. J. Gordon, *President*; Mrs. Eliza L. Rodman, *Secretary*; Thomas J. Emery, *Treasurer*.

To help widows and orphans.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 144.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,857 55	Salaries and wages	\$300 00
Subscriptions and donations	171 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	60 40
Annuities and bequests to income	1,988 18	Box in Old Colony Safe	20 00
Income from investments	6,559 80	Deposit vaults	8,214 00
Miscellaneous	170 02	To trustees for distribution	
		Total current expenses	\$8,594 40
		Cash on hand	3,152 15
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	\$11,746 55		\$11,746 55

Value of investments, \$124,925.

BOSTON FLOATING HOSPITAL, 54 Devonshire St., Boston. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Edward W. Pope, *President*; William H. Brainerd, *Secretary*; George C. Lee, *Treasurer*; G. Loring Briggs, *Manager*; Miss Sarah A. Egan, *Superintendent of Nurses*.

Care of children under five years suffering from summer diseases; instruction of mothers in care of children; training of doctors and nurses, and scientific study of children's diseases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 145.

Number aided during year, 6,997.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,845 08	Salaries and wages	\$26,604 40
Subscriptions and donations	41,647 30	Printing, postage, and office	
Annuities and bequests to		supplies	1,146 58
income	4,000 00	Provisions and supplies	9,210 32
Income from investments	2,100 79	Rent	433 10
Interest on deposits	83 18	Heat, light, and power	2,742 05
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	4,733 28
		Telephone, advertising, etc.	982 40
		Nurses' lodgings, etc.	1,132 55
		Interest and insurance	1,819 78
		Miscellaneous	1,473 01
		Total current expenses	\$50,277 47
		Cash on hand	2,398 88
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	\$52,676 35		\$52,676 35

Value of investments, \$12,628.75.

BOSTON HEBREW LADIES' AID ASSOCIATION, 995 Washington St., Boston. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Pauline Jacoby, *President*; Julius Hirsch, *Secretary*; Rachel Scheinberg, *Treasurer*.

To give pecuniary aid to the poor of the Hebrew faith.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 630.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$53 00	Salaries and wages	\$30 00
From beneficiaries	490 00	Printing	22 50
Ball	285 15	Rent	30 00
Henry Siegel Company	50 00	To beneficiaries	668 50
		Total current expenses	\$768 00
		Cash on hand	110 15
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	\$878 15		\$878 15

BOSTON HOME FOR INCURABLES, 2049 Dorchester Ave., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

E. Pierson Beebe, *President*; J. Grafton Minot, *Secretary*; Emor H. Harding, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Ada V. Dean, *Superintendent*.

A home for the care and treatment of women afflicted with an incurable disease.

Number of paid officers or employees, 25.

Number aided during year, 49, viz., 7 paying, 5 partly paying, 37 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$1,884 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,038 08
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,883 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	249 26
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	20,695 69	Provisions and supplies . . .	5,366 68
Income from investments . . .	21,531 36	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,594 30
Miscellaneous . . .	248 12	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,725 01
		Additional lot in Mt. Hope Cemetery . . .	1,000 00
		Insurance . . .	75 00
		Advertising . . .	222 30
		Miscellaneous . . .	258 85
		Total current expenses . . .	\$19,529 48
		Income invested . . .	25,503 39
		Cash on hand . . .	709 30
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	\$45,742 17		\$45,742 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$52,700; value of investments, \$498,436.34.

BOSTON INDUSTRIAL HOME, 17 Davis St., Boston. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. George Luther Cady, D.D., *President*; Robert W. Hastings, M.D., *Secretary*; Charles D. Bagnall, *Treasurer*; Oliver C. Elliot, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for worthy people out of employment until they can obtain situations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 22.

Number aided during year, 2,469, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,075 16	Salaries and wages of employees . . .	\$5,103 82
From beneficiaries . . .	4,744 35	Labor paid to transients . . .	1,431 47
Donations . . .	1,033 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	481 26
Bequests . . .	350 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	4,650 11
Income from fresh-air fund . . .	1,558 68	For coal and wood . . .	34,292 73
Income from Kidder fund . . .	40 00	Light, gas, and electricity . . .	632 30
Interest on deposits . . .	34 41	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,054 19
From sale of coal and wood . . .	40,391 00	Telephone service . . .	192 11
Total current receipts . . .	\$50,226 60	Stable maintenance . . .	1,896 88
Loans to income . . .	657 94	Water rates and insurance . . .	504 35
Mortgage . . .	10,000 00	On account of fresh-air fund . . .	1,156 56
		On account of Kidder fund . . .	28 41
		Total current expenses . . .	\$51,424 19
		Loans paid . . .	7,129 57
		Cash on hand . . .	2,330 78
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	\$60,884 54		\$60,884 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$52,300; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,000; value of investments, \$25,939.46 (special fund for fresh air and other work).

**BOSTON LADIES' BETHEL SOCIETY (Phineas Stowe Seamen's Home),
8 North Bennet St., Boston. (Incorporated 1886.)**

Report for year ending January 26, 1913.

Miss Susie P. Tuckerman, *President*; Mrs. F. F. Gerrish, *Secretary*; Mrs. Sarah L. Jones, *Treasurer*; Rev. Thomas Munday, *Superintendent*.

To assist in maintenance of worship in Baptist Bethel Church and provide a home for worthy seamen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 500, viz., 180 paying, 48 partly paying, 272 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$228 23	Salaries and wages . . .	\$553 00
From beneficiaries . . .	1,854 59	Printing, postage, and office supplies	19 30
Subscriptions and donations . . .	64 29	Provisions and supplies . . .	918 63
Memberships	79 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	185 06
Collections	17 14	Furnishings and incidental repairs	156 13
Miscellaneous	3 90	Bethel Church	60 00
		Deposit	150 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,200 96
		Cash on hand	46 19
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	\$2,247 15		\$2,247 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,000; fund, \$725.

BOSTON LEGAL AID SOCIETY, 39 Court St., Boston. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Charles P. Greenough, *President*; Albert F. Bigelow, *Secretary*; George A. Goddard, *Treasurer*; Alice W. Palmer, *Social Secretary*.

To provide legal aid for those who through poverty are otherwise unable to secure it.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 1,154.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,815 40	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,045 78
From beneficiaries . . .	496 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	136 65
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,225 00	Rent of office, heat, light, and power	1,984 27
Income from investments . . .	122 42	National alliance	25 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$5,658 83	Total current expenses . . .	\$5,191 70
Loans to income	142 73	Cash on hand	609 86
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	\$5,801 56		\$5,801 56

Value of investments, \$857.27.

BOSTON LYING-IN HOSPITAL, 24 McLean St., Boston. (Incorporated 1832.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William L. Richardson, *President*; William D. Sohier, *Secretary*; James R. Hooper, *Treasurer*; Mrs. E. J. A. Higgins, *Superintendent*.

The care of poor and deserving women in childbirth. Regular charge for patients, residents of Boston, \$20; nonresidents, \$30; deserving needy persons, free. No charges for out-patient attendance.

Number of paid officers or employees, 47.

Number aided during year in institution, 814, viz., 548 paying or partly paying, 266 free; outside institution, 1,858, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$12,705 60	Salaries and wages . .	\$13,748 02
From beneficiaries . .	12,350 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	909 01
Subscriptions and donations	8,182 90	Provisions and supplies . .	10,441 16
Annuities and bequests to income	1,000 00	Heat, light, and power . .	3,591 82
Income from investments .	14,218 55	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,626 48
Registration fees . . .	664 50	Medical supplies and instruments	2,511 47
Miscellaneous	209 15	Household supplies and telephone	2,396 36
Total current receipts .	\$49,331 20	Out-patient department . .	1,819 65
Sale of securities . . .	3,705 00	Special department at 33 McLean St. . . .	1,787 90
Bequests carried to capital.	13,770 80	Miscellaneous	380 60
		Total current expenses .	\$39,212 47
		Invested	25,082 50
		Cash on hand	2,512 03
	\$66,807 00		\$66,807 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$94,100; value of investments, \$333,133.03.

BOSTON MARINE SOCIETY, Room 717, Chamber of Commerce Building, Boston. (Incorporated 1754.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

John L. Manson, *President*; Aberdeen H. Child, *Secretary*; Samuel Pray, *Treasurer*.

To assist financially indigent members, or widows and minor children of deceased members.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 83.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$10,667 00	Salaries and wages	\$1,800 00
Annuities and bequests to income	1,600 00	Rent	375 00
Income from investments	15,749 44	Beneficiaries	14,255 00
Miscellaneous	1,290 41	Annuity	100 00
		Miscellaneous	1,376 01
		Total current expenses	\$17,906 01
		Cash on hand	11,400 84
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	\$29,306 85		\$29,306 85

Value of investments, \$291,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, about \$30,000.

BOSTON NEWSBOYS' CLUB, 277 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Nathan L. Amster, *President*; Alexander I. Peckham, *Secretary*; J. J. Storrow, *Treasurer*; E. L. Curran, *Superintendent*.

To befriend in every possible way the newsboys and other boys of the city of Boston, without distinction as to race, color, or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, approximately 800.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$123 76	Salaries and wages	\$3,984 50
Subscriptions and donations	7,575 00	Heat, light, and power	842 83
Interest	9 03	Insurance	7 20
From entertainment (to be reserved for building fund)	238 50	Miscellaneous	1,465 17
		Total current expenses	\$6,299 70
		Income reserved	238 50
		Cash on hand	1,408 09
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	\$7,946 29		\$7,946 29

BOSTON NORTH END MISSION, 313 Ford Building, 15 Ashburton Place, Boston. Mount Hope Home, corner Bourne and Florence Sts., Roslindale. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles W. Kidder, *President*; Albert D. Auryansen, *Secretary*; William H. Bain, *Treasurer*; Cyrus L. D. Younkin, *Superintendent*; Laura J. Cann, *Matron*.

Temporary home for care and training of destitute children: placing out; supervising; also some received under guardianship and custody for adoption or indenture. Religious but nonsectarian.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year in institution, 62, viz., 53 partly paying, 9 free; outside institution, 73, viz., 8 partly paying, 65 free: families aided, 79.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,195 24	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,541 94
From beneficiaries . .	3,501 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	414 22
Subscriptions and donations .	4,785 81	Provisions and supplies .	3,536 41
Income from investments .	1,975 50	Rent	200 00
Miscellaneous	65 58	Heat, light, and power .	545 62
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	369 51
		Paid for board outside of home	632 99
		Taxes, water rates, and repairs on real estate .	175 83
		Miscellaneous	280 24
		Total current expenses .	\$10,696 76
		Cash on hand	1,827 16
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	\$12,523 92		\$12,523 92

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$16,000; value of investments, \$38,197.87.

BOSTON NURSERY FOR BLIND BABIES, 147 South Huntington Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending October 11, 1913.

Horace G. Allen, *President*; Marguerite S. Hopkins, *Treasurer*;
Jane A. Russell, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of blind children under five years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 44, viz., 24 partly paying, 20 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$748 85	Salaries and wages . .	\$3,646 95
From beneficiaries . .	668 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	181 50
Subscriptions and donations .	2,326 35	Provisions and supplies .	1,986 43
Income from investments .	1,446 15	Heat, light, and power .	771 55
Blind babies aid society .	7,935 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	924 49
		Telephone	38 72
		Water	136 60
		Advertising	130 10
		Miscellaneous	88 59
		Total current expenses .	\$7,904 93
		Income invested	3,772 62
		Cash on hand	1,447 70
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	\$13,125 25		\$13,125 25

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$45,000; value of investments, \$41,446.97.

BOSTON PILOTS' RELIEF SOCIETY, 41 Lewis Wharf, Boston. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

James H. Reid, *President*; Charles E. Stearns, *Secretary*; Joseph W. Colby, *Treasurer*.

To aid needy pilots holding licenses for the port of Boston, their widows and minor children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,142 97	Salaries and wages . .	\$300 00
Dues from members . .	124 00	Pensions to widows and pilots	8,150 50
Income from investments . .	9,290 55	Miscellaneous	118 61
On account of mortgage . .	500 28		
		Total current expenses . .	\$8,569 11
		Income invested	1,829 87
		Cash on hand	1,658 82
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	\$12,057 80		\$12,057 80

Value of investments, \$125,847.94.

BOSTON PORT AND SEAMEN'S AID SOCIETY, MANAGERS OF, 11 North Sq., Boston. (Incorporated 1829 and 1867.)

Report for year ending January 22, 1913.

Rev. George A. Gordon, D.D., *President*; John A. Bennett, *Secretary*; Lewis R. Tucker, *Treasurer*; Capt. Joseph P. Hatch, *Superintendent*.

Improving the moral, religious, and general condition of seamen and their families in Boston and its vicinity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year in institution, 11,941, viz., 9,366 paying, 37 partly paying, 2,538 free; outside institution, 25, all free; number of families aided, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,872 11	Salaries and wages . . .	\$7,690 93
From beneficiaries . .	10,328 22	Printing, postage, and office supplies	923 45
Subscriptions and donations . .	5 00	Provisions and supplies . .	7,180 09
Annuities and bequests to income	1,700 00	Heat, light, and water . .	1,239 51
Income from investments . .	17,846 38	Incidental repairs	1,249 92
		T Wharf reading room . .	1,000 00
		Taxes and insurance . . .	753 88
		Entertainments, special Sunday services	638 47
		Charity	2,586 28
		Miscellaneous	211 55
		Total current expenses . .	\$23,474 08
		Income invested	6,932 68
		Cash on hand	5,344 95
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	\$35,751 71		\$35,751 71

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$39,500; value of investments, \$367,390.

BOSTON PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1854.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Russell G. Fessenden, *President*; William Hedge, *Secretary*; Patrick T. Jackson, *Treasurer*; William H. Pear, *General Agent*.

The relief of needy families, the suppression of street beggary, and the improvement of the condition of the poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 5,021; number of families aided, 878.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$105 72	Salaries and wages . . .	\$11,325 04
From beneficiaries . . .	593 78	Printing, postage, and office supplies	341 75
Subscriptions and donations . . .	7,862 20	Provisions and supplies . . .	21,787 64
Annuities and bequests to income	1,000 00	Rent	230 00
Income from investments . . .	25,295 95	Heat, light, and power . . .	423 77
		Travel and telephone . . .	403 68
Total current receipts . . .	\$34,857 65	Confidential exchange . . .	250 00
Loans to income	858 87	Auditing	50 00
		Miscellaneous	866 94
		Total current expenses . . .	\$35,678 82
		Cash on hand	37 70
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	\$35,716 52		\$35,716 52

Value of investments, \$486,606.75.

BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND, 130 Appleton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

George E. Brock, *President*; Alfred Bunker, *Secretary*; Charles H. Slattery, *Treasurer*.

To provide annuities for disabled teachers or those of long service.

Number of paid officers, 1.

Number aided during year, 248.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$14,389 36	Salaries and wages . . .	\$600 00
From beneficiaries . . .	10,467 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	254 03
Income from investments . . .	14,038 05	Payment to annuitants . . .	43,273 50
Contributions by members . . .	47,463 00	Refunds to members retiring from the service . . .	3,126 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$86,357 41	Accrued interest on securities bought	271 09
Bonds redeemed in cash . . .	13,000 00	Auditing accounts	40 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$47,564 62
		Income invested	34,659 60
		Cash on hand	17,133 19
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	\$99,357 41		\$99,357 41

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$376,150.

BOSTON SEAMAN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, 287 Hanover St., Boston, branches at Vineyard Haven and Tarpaulin Cove. (Incorporated 1829.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Rev. Alexander McKenzie, D.D., *President*; Charles F. Stratton, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Rev. James M. D. Blue, *Superintendent*.

Ministering to the spiritual, social, moral, and temporal wants and needs of seamen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year, 489.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,063 30	Salaries and wages	\$8,972 58
From beneficiaries	14 30	Printing, postage, advertising, and office supplies	732 14
Subscriptions and donations	5,900 90	Provisions and supplies	697 83
Annuities and bequests to income	2,959 80	Rent	208 60
Income from investments	5,955 27	Heat, light, and power	1,259 05
Proceeds sale of real estate	1,780 12	Furnishings and incidental repairs	159 78
		Publishing of "Sea Breeze"	720 56
		Maintenance of launch at Boston	647 38
		Expenses at Vineyard Haven and Tarpaulin Cove	1,725 02
		Interest on loans and annuity	519 00
		Aid to destitute seamen	574 49
		Miscellaneous	196 74
		Total current expenses	\$16,413 17
		Cash on hand	1,260 52
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	\$17,673 69		\$17,673 69

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes. \$32,150; value of investments, \$69,000.

BOSTON SOCIETY OF DECORATIVE ART, 184 Boylston St., Boston. (Incorporated 1882.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Jacob C. Rogers, *President*; Mrs. Stephen M. Weld, *Secretary*; Boylston A. Beal, *Treasurer*; Elizabeth M. Smith, *Superintendent*.

To raise the standard of art needlework, and provide for the sale of contributors' handiwork.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 116, viz., 24 in workroom, 92 aided by sale of articles.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,224 47	Salaries and wages . .	\$5,188 43
Subscriptions and donations . .	173 25	Rent	1,980 00
Income from investments . .	1,330 99	Contributors and workers . .	4,136 17
Sales of articles and materials	9,349 45	Materials	811 32
Sale of bonds	2,010 88	Office expenses	429 68
		Total current expenses . .	\$12,545 60
		Cash on hand	1,543 44
	<hr/> \$14,089 04		<hr/> \$14,089 04

Value of investments, \$28,023.15.

BOSTON SOCIETY FOR THE CARE OF GIRLS, 184 Boylston St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1803.)

Report for year ending October 25, 1913.

Miss Abby M. Storer, *President*; Mrs. Arthur H. Nichols, *Secretary*; Miss Sarah C. Paine, *Treasurer*; Miss Mabelle B. Blake, *General Secretary*.

Care and supervision of girls, irrespective of age, race, or color.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 301, viz., 75 paying, 173 partly paying, 53 free. Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 201. Number of placing-out visitors, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,475 73	Salaries and wages . .	\$7,897 32
From beneficiaries	4,917 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	569 47
Subscriptions and donations . .	162 00	Clothing, etc.	4,527 82
Income from investments . .	25,222 97	Rent	1,164 00
Miscellaneous	2 55	Telephone	360 54
		Board of children	13,866 59
Total current receipts . .	\$34,781 20	Doctors, dentists, and medical expenses	1,006 22
Loans to income	3,356 81	Traveling expenses	1,363 19
		Contribution to committee for investigating feeble-minded	100 00
		Miscellaneous	910 27
		Total current expenses . .	\$31,765 42
		Expense of foreclosing mortgage, unpaid taxes, repairs and insurance . .	5,124 61
		Cash on hand	1,247 98
	<hr/> \$38,138 01		<hr/> \$38,138 01

Value of investments, \$505,927.46.

**BOSTON TRAVELER CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 171 Tremont St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1907.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles B. Welch, *President*; Frank H. Wallis, *Secretary*; James B. Higgins, *Treasurer*.

Providing rest and recreation for indigent persons, particularly mothers and young children; aiding certain charities; and in general helping to improve the condition of the poor of Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Collector employed on commission.

Number aided during year, 11,256, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$285 40	Salaries and wages	\$2,374 10
Subscriptions and donations	7,958 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	772 97
		Rent	400 00
		Storage and insurance . . .	52 25
		Board and expense for children at camps	4,616 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$8,215 32
		Cash on hand	28 68
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	\$8,244 00		\$8,244 00

BOSTON UNITED MOATH CHITIM ASSOCIATION, 397 Blue Hill Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Levy Herman, *President*; Morris L. Morrison, *Secretary*; Bernard Aaronson, *Treasurer*.

To assist the Jewish poor of Boston and vicinity in the proper observance of the Passover.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 2,792, all free; number of families aided, 551.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$0 19	Salaries and wages	\$61 50
Subscriptions and donations	2,906 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies	76 63
		Provisions and supplies . .	1,058 60
		Delivering	75 70
		Cash donations	1,618 30
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,890 73
		Cash on hand	16 21
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	\$2,906 94		\$2,906 94

BOSTON WESLEYAN ASSOCIATION, 581 Boylston St., Boston. (Incorporated 1854.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Matthew Robson, *President*; Avery L. Rand, *Secretary*; Charles R. Magee, *Treasurer*.

Publication of "Zion's Herald;" profits to be applied to maintenance of superannuated Methodist preachers of six New England conferences.

Number of paid officers or employees, about 15.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$504 47	Salaries and wages	\$2,418 11
Income from investments	16,426 54	Printing, postage, and office supplies	106 84
Miscellaneous	160 74	Provisions and supplies	269 49
<hr/>		Rent	1,935 00
Total current receipts	\$17,091 75	Heat, light, and power	411 56
Loans to income	183,000 00	Dividend to "Zion's Herald"	9,700 00
Securities sold	58,355 00	Dividend to annual conference	1,000 00
		Miscellaneous	5,337 60
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		Total current expenses	\$21,178 60
		New building	134,451 78
		Loans and interest paid	64,002 34
		Cash on hand	38,814 03
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	\$258,446 75		\$258,446 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$400,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$125,000; value of investments, \$245,450.

BOSTON YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 246 Huntington Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1852 and 1887.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Arthur S. Johnson, *President*; Harold Peabody, *Secretary*; Francis B. Sears, *Treasurer*; George W. Mehaffey, *General Secretary*.

The improvement of the spiritual, intellectual, social, and physical condition of the young men and boys of Boston, and to provide dormitories with homelike surroundings.

Number of paid officers, employees, and teachers, 121.

Number aided during year in institution, 8,925, viz., 1,986 paying, 939 partly paying, large number free; outside institution, 4,461, viz., 40 partly paying, 4,421 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,998 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$106,565 50
From beneficiaries . .	139,266 04	Printing, advertising, post- age, and office supplies .	7,890 32
Subscriptions and dona- tions	12,389 50	Rent	11,820 00
Income from investments .	17,605 41	Heat, light, power, tele- phone, etc.	4,647 60
Rent	495 00	Interest	545 98
Miscellaneous	423 79	For social, religious, army, physical, employment, outing, and boys' work .	41,546 51
		Total current expenses .	\$173,015 91
		Cash on hand	162 02
	<hr/> \$173,177 93		<hr/> \$173,177 93

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$343,226.21; value of investments, \$818,421.41.

**BOSTON YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN UNION, 48 Boylston St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1852.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Frank L. Locke, *President*; Charles L. Burrill, *Secretary*; Edward A. Church, *Treasurer*.

Recreation and instruction by means of evening classes, religious services, lectures, and entertainment. Maintains an employment bureau, gymnasium, and committees to visit sick and distribute clothing.

Number of paid officers or employees, 43.

Number aided during year in institution, 5,289; outside institution, 13,337.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$21,899 65	Salaries and wages . . .	\$27,212 93
Subscriptions and donations .	7,307 00	Printing and stationery . .	1,598 47
Income from investments . .	20,240 63	Heat and light	4,560 08
Donations, special chari- ties, "country week," rides for invalids, and Christmas festival . . .	23,117 51	General administration . .	14,401 80
Income from investments, special charities	2,303 36	Special charities	25,689 35
Total current receipts . .	\$74,868 15	Total current expenses . .	\$73,462 63
Bequests	7,531 89	Balance excess revenue over expense	1,405 52
	<hr/> \$82,400 04	Bequests turned over to trustees	7,531 89
			<hr/> \$82,400 04

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$684,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$493,400.

**BOSTON YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 40 Berkeley St.,
and 68 Warrenton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1867.)**

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Benjamin Tenney, *President*; Miss Abbie W. Covell, *Secretary*; Mrs. Herbert S. Johnson, *Treasurer*; Miss M. L. Thompson, *Matron* of 40 Berkeley St., and Miss Mary H. Barrett, *Matron* of 68 Warrenton St.

The temporal, moral, and religious welfare of young women who are dependent upon their own exertions for support.

Number of paid officers or employees, 122.

Number aided during year in institution, 5,789, viz., 5,733 paying, 25 partly paying, 31 free; outside institution, 21,643, viz., 15,654, paying, 5,989 free; number of families aided, 117.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$14,919 53	Salaries and wages . . .	\$43,335 38
From beneficiaries . .	114,629 32	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,098 15
Subscriptions and dona- tions	1,907 00	Provisions and supplies . .	54,426 00
Income from investments .	6,581 41	Interest	2,352 95
Legacies	11,916 67	Heat, light, and power . .	7,659 06
Proceeds of fair	2,058 43	Furnishings and inciden- tal repairs	6,419 40
		Relief and loan work . . .	794 00
		National board	600 00
		Miscellaneous	5,639 62
		Total current expenses .	\$122,324 56
		Income invested	23,913 75
		Cash on hand	5,774 05
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	\$152,012 36		\$152,012 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$232,600; amount of mortgage on same, \$40,000; value of investments, \$147,626.76.

**THE BOYS' INSTITUTE OF INDUSTRY, 1158 Tremont St., Boston. (In-
corporated 1885.)**

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Edwin Ginn, *President*; J. Gilbert Peirce, *Secretary*; Burton R. Miller, *Treasurer*; J. B. Stewart, *Superintendent*.

Training street boys and girls, with class rooms for work in many industries, club rooms, gymnasium, and library.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, about 900.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$165 56	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,822 94
From beneficiaries . .	49 97	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	3,370 50	supplies	248 40
Annuities and bequests to		Supplies for classes . . .	91 37
income	529 33	Rent	990 00
Income from investments .	35 00	Heat, light, power, and	
Rent	401 00	water	321 07
From pool room	116 50	Furnishings and incidental	
From sale of securities .	536 77	repairs	309 41
		Insurance	11 70
		Total current expenses .	\$4,794 89
		Cash on hand	409 74
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	\$5,204 63		\$5,204 63

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$500.

BRIGHAM HOSPITAL, 26 Charter St., Boston. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending August 13, 1913.

Percy H. Brigham, M.D., *President*; N. F. M. Wilson, M.D., *Secretary*; Eugene Shurtleff, M.D., *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

The care of sick persons in indigent circumstances, residing in the county of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and such other purposes as are usual to a general hospital for the treatment and care of invalids, etc.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From North End Dispensary		Interest on mortgage . . .	\$300 00
(for rent)	\$300 00		
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	\$300 00		\$300 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$11,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$7,300.

Not in operation.

BRITISH CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 5 Park Sq., Boston. (Incorporated 1817.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

George William Bentley, *President*; Thomas T. Stokes, *Secretary*; Frederick J. Stark, *Treasurer*.

Temporary relief of those born under the British flag, their immediate descendants and families.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 856.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$872 82	Salaries and wages	\$239 54
Subscriptions and donations	45 00	Wheeler trust	30 00
Income from investments	512 08	Burial account	31 60
From charity ball	300 00	Rent	177 00
Members' dues	426 00	Insurance	18 75
		Printing	34 50
		By-laws	70 00
		Relief	509 36
		General expenses	41 97
		Total current expenses	\$1,152 72
		Cash on hand	1,003 18
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	\$2,155 90		\$2,155 90

Value of investments, \$12,038; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$5,228.38.

BROOKE HOUSE, 79 Chandler St., Boston. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Mrs. Jacob C. Rogers, *President*; Marianne Paine, *Secretary*;
Walter Hunnewell, *Treasurer*; Sarah E. Gardner, *Superintendent*.

A home for working girls at moderate cost.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year in institution, 179, all paying; outside institution, 120, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,996 57	Salaries and wages	\$5,737 76
From beneficiaries	14,959 91	Printing, postage, and office supplies	87 43
Subscriptions and donations	1,368 00	Provisions and supplies	7,657 26
Income from investments	1,449 35	Heat, light, and power	1,721 06
Miscellaneous	50 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	556 40
		Water tax	166 50
		Interest on mortgage	448 75
		Insurance	101 97
		Miscellaneous	364 75
		Total current expenses	\$16,841 88
		Cash on hand	2,981 95
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	\$19,823 83		\$19,823 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$68,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,000; value of investments, \$32,000.

THE BUNKER HILL BOYS' CLUB ASSOCIATION, 10 Wood St., Charlestown. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

James H. Whitman, *President*; Frank S. Mason, *Secretary*; George F. Tufts, *Treasurer*; Harris G. Leroy, *Superintendent*.

To take Charlestown boys off the streets at night and give them manual, moral, and physical training. Ages, eight to sixteen. No distinction as to race, creed, or condition of life.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4 (8 others who are paid for teaching evenings).

Number aided during year, 885, paying 5 cents a month.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,250 85	Salaries and wages	\$3,515 35
From beneficiaries	96 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies	454 47
Subscriptions and donations	6,050 35	Heat, light, and power	276 58
Income from investments	46 46	Furnishings and incidental repairs	749 20
Sale of motor boat	120 00	Classes, instruction, and supplies	765 38
Miscellaneous	131 78	Office expense	148 64
		Real estate, expense, water, interest, etc. . . .	107 60
		Summer activities, special	281 51
		Paid on account of mortgage	1,000 00
		Miscellaneous	242 16
		Total current expenses	\$7,540 89
		Cash on hand	154 57
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	\$7,695 46		\$7,695 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$500.

BURNAP FREE HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 38 Pleasant St., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

J. Converse Gray, *President*; Miss Mary A. Fitch, *Secretary*; George G. Quincy, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Louise A. Skinner, *Matron*.

Free home for women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year in institution, 22; outside institution, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,064 59	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,144 79
From beneficiaries . . .	6,508 07	Printing, postage, advertising, and office supplies . . .	193 25
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,224 01	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,688 92
Annuities and bequests to income	1,000 00	Heat, light, power, and telephone	573 35
Income from investments . . .	1,092 16	Furnishings and incidental repairs	133 57
		Outside board	103 00
		Undertaker	64 00
		Insurance	290 78
		Total current expenses . . .	\$5,191 66
		Income invested	7,025 97
		Cash on hand	2,671 20
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	\$14,888 83		\$14,888 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, about \$20,000; value of investments, about \$25,000.

CARNEY HOSPITAL, Old Harbor St., South Boston. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Sister Raphael Jones, *President* and *Treasurer*; Sister M. Bernard Hunan, *Secretary*.

Care of the sick, irrespective of creed, color, or nationality. Contagious diseases excepted.

Number of paid officers or employees, 60.

Number aided during year, 3,944, viz., 2,283 paying, 152 partly paying, 1,509 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$349 80	Salaries and wages . . .	\$22,402 12
From beneficiaries . . .	77,276 13	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3,827 00
Subscriptions and donations	6,401 58	Provisions and supplies . . .	35,841 72
Annuities and bequests to income	11,091 56	Rent	364 00
Income from investments . . .	294 38	Heat, light, and power . . .	7,314 80
Rent	700 69	Furnishings and incidental repairs	24,598 55
		Interest and insurance . . .	3,748 48
		Purchase of property . . .	6,300 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$96,114 14	Total current expenses . . .	\$104,396 67
Loans to income	9,427 21	Cash on hand	1,144 68
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	\$105,541 35		\$105,541 35

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$259,200; amount of mortgage on same, \$58,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

CHANNING HOME, corner Francis St. and Bellevue Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1858 and 1861.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Samuel A. Green, M.D., *President*; Algernon Coolidge, Jr., M.D., *Secretary*; James P. Parmenter, *Treasurer*; Mary E. P. Fennell, *Superintendent*.

The care of sick, destitute women, especially those in advanced stages of tuberculosis.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 65.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$690 98	Salaries and wages	\$4,560 39
Subscriptions and donations	1,229 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	110 75
Annuities and bequests to income	2,700 00	Provisions and supplies	4,637 77
Income from investments	7,283 18	Heat, light, and power	1,229 70
Total current receipts	\$11,903 16	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,110 31
Loans to income	172 37	Telephone	84 05
		Insurance	260 00
		Miscellaneous	82 56
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	\$12,075 53		\$12,075 53

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,000; value of investments, \$152,209.13.

CHARITABLE BURIAL ASSOCIATION, 104 Salem St., Boston. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

Abraham Moss, *President*; J. H. Stone, *Secretary*; Mark Lewis, *Treasurer*.

To furnish free burial for the needy.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7 26	Salaries and wages	\$82 25
Subscriptions and donations	292 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	21 75
Federated charities	200 00	Funeral expenses	190 65
Total current receipts	\$492 01	Hanover stable	68 50
Loans to income	7 26	Fixing graves	8 50
		Collection fees	22 39
		Total current expenses	\$394 04
		Cash on hand	105 23
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	\$499 27		\$499 27

CHARITABLE IRISH SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1809.)

Report for year ending March 17, 1913.

Richard J. Lane, Esq., *President*; John J. Keenan, *Secretary*;
Thomas F. Taft, *Treasurer*.

To cultivate a spirit of unity and harmony among all resident Irishmen and their descendants; to alleviate suffering, and to aid such of its members as may be deserving of its charity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 116; number of families aided, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16,245 30	Salaries and wages	\$650 00
Subscriptions and donations	5,017 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,842 06
Interest	414 97	Rent	243 26
		Relief, passage tickets, etc.	562 66
		Refunded (one hundred and seventy-fifth anniversary dinner tickets paid for but not supplied)	1,180 00
		Miscellaneous	5,983 77
		Total current expenses	\$10,461 75
		Cash on hand	11,215 52
Total current receipts	\$21,677 27		\$21,677 27

CHARITABLE SURGICAL APPLIANCE SHOP, 251 Huntington Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Robert W. Emmons, 2d, *President* and *Treasurer*; Augustus Thorndike, M.D., *Secretary*; Theodore H. Bartol, *Foreman*.

To supply hospitals, doctors, and others with surgical appliances at cost.

Number of paid employees, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,397 82	Wages	\$7,419 82
From beneficiaries	12,814 28	Material account	3,698 55
Income from investments	605 40	Tools and machinery	89 51
		Miscellaneous	890 46
		Total current expenses	\$12,098 34
		Cash on hand	2,719 16
	\$14,817 50		\$14,817 50

Value of investments, \$11,245.

CHARITY OF EDWARD HOPKINS, TRUSTEES OF, 111 Devonshire St., Boston. (Incorporated 1827.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Ingersoll Bowditch, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

Distribution of rewards to meritorious Harvard undergraduates, divinity students, and scholars of Cambridge schools.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,273 67	Salaries and wages	\$200 00
Income from investments . .	3,669 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies	4 75
		Paid beneficiaries	3,109 97
		Miscellaneous	137 36
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,452 08
		Income invested	207 45
		Cash on hand	3,284 02
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	\$6,943 55		\$6,943 55

Value of investments, \$67,014.63.

CHARLESBANK HOMES, 333-343 Charles St., Boston. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending July 1, 1913.

Edwin Ginn, *President*; Flora H. Ayer, *Secretary*; Emma S. Blood, *Treasurer*; Nellie F. Smith, *Superintendent*.

For the provision of wholesome and sanitary homes for working people and people of small means at moderate cost, and in connection therewith the establishment of reading rooms, libraries, gymnasiums, playgrounds, and other institutions for promoting temperance, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 343.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From rents	\$14,836 46	Salaries and wages	\$3,937 32
From interest on deposits . .	40 10	Printing, postage, and office supplies	165 79
		Building supplies	280 58
		Heat, light, and water	2,688 27
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	794 19
		Equipment	393 27
		Insurance	84 74
		Telephone	144 37
		Welfare work	283 23
		Taxes paid under protest . .	3,046 66
		Miscellaneous	30 17
		Total current expenses . .	\$11,848 59
		Cash on hand	3,027 97
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	\$14,876 56		\$14,876 56

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$290,891.93.

CHARLESTOWN POOR'S FUND, TRUSTEES OF, 3 Old City Hall, Charlestown. (Incorporated 1825.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

B. Frank Hatch, *President*; Gardner Bates, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To provide coal and medicine for poor.

Number of paid officers and employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 300.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$724 81	Salaries and wages . . .	\$150 00
Income from investments . .	1,352 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	6 86
		Treasurer's bond . . .	37 50
		Safe deposit vault . . .	10 00
		Medicines . . .	7 94
		Coal . . .	1,246 45
		Miscellaneous . . .	16 56
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,475 31
		Cash on hand . . .	602 38
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	\$2,077 69		\$2,077 69

Value of investments, \$34,121.77.

THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Huntington Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1869.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Francis W. Hunnewell, *President*; Francis H. Brown, *Secretary*; Gordon Abbott, *Treasurer*; Sister Caroline, *Superintendent*.

Medical and surgical treatment of children under twelve years of age, residents of Boston and, in special cases, nonresidents. Training of young women for the profession of nursing.

Number of paid officers or employees, 52.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,669, viz., 578 paying, 311 partly paying, 780 free; outside institution, 6,778, viz., 3,389 partly paying, 3,389 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$17,474 39	Salaries and wages . . .	\$18,287 57
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,493 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	839 60
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,700 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	18,011 80
Income from investments . . .	49,393 91	Rent of nurses' home . . .	3,120 00
Surgical appliances . . .	4,918 35	Heat, light, and power . . .	6,034 83
Miscellaneous . . .	251 61	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	2,106 60
Total current receipts . . .	\$85,231 86	Drugs and medicines . . .	2,450 12
Loans to income . . .	1,029 69	Surgical appliances . . .	4,668 45
		Annuities . . .	1,200 00
		Interest . . .	18,338 35
		Taxes, gift, annual report, water, X-ray, telephone, school of nursing, laundry, pathological laboratory . . .	10,288 07
		Miscellaneous . . .	916 16
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	\$86,261 55		\$86,261 55

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$632,957.98; value of investments, \$1,057,326.92.

**THE CHILDREN'S MISSION TO CHILDREN, 279 Tremont St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1864.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Henry M. Williams, *President*; Rev. Christopher R. Eliot, *Clerk*;
William H. Slocum, *Treasurer*; Parker B. Field, *General Secretary*.

To help needy children by advising and guiding them at home, by securing adequate assistance along special lines, by placing them for shorter or longer periods in private families, carefully selected and supervised. Few children are given for adoption.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year actually in custody, 314, viz., 31 paying, 113 partly paying, 170 free; through advice or supervision, 641. Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 212; number of placing-out visitors, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$13,311 12	Salaries and wages . . .	\$11,776 63
Subscriptions and donations . . .	7,938 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,215 85
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,700 00	Board of children . . .	21,271 19
Income from investments . . .	19,236 33	Clothing . . .	5,032 81
Total current receipts . . .	\$43,185 87	Heat, light, and power . . .	49 56
Loans to income . . .	198 73	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	128 29
		Travel and office expenses . . .	1,658 31
		Medical services . . .	800 84
		Education of children in benevolence . . .	505 67
		Telephone . . .	329 66
		Charity conferences . . .	87 44
		Miscellaneous . . .	528 35
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	\$43,384 60		\$43,384 60

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$145,400; value of investments, \$400,669.

CHURCH HOME FOR ORPHAN AND DESTITUTE CHILDREN, temporary office, 202 West Newton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1858.)

Report for year ending October 15, 1913.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, *President*; Rev. Reginald H. Howe, D.D., *Secretary*; George H. Richards, *Treasurer*; Miss Katherine P. Hewins, *General Secretary*.

Home for orphan and destitute children, and training in accordance with the usages of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Home closed September 1, 1913; placing-out system adopted for all children.

Number of paid officers or employees to September, 11.

Number aided during year in institution, 37; outside institution, 104. Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 71 (last five months). Number of placing-out visitors, 2 (last 3 months).

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$56 06	Salaries and wages . .	\$5,938 02
From beneficiaries . .	1,935 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	616 56
Subscriptions and donations . .	4,649 85	Provisions and supplies . .	2,462 90
Bequests . . .	31,892 18	Rent . . .	10 50
Income from investments . .	9,023 23	Heat, light, and power . .	619 50
Miscellaneous . . .	75 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	192 22
		Clothing and sundries . .	2,069 97
		Industrial training . .	32 75
		Medical attendance, eye-glasses, etc. . .	202 15
		Board . . .	5,439 74
		Miscellaneous . . .	561 12
		Total current expenses . .	\$18,145 43
		Transferred to capital . .	29,446 00
		Cash on hand . . .	40 52
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	\$47,631 95		\$47,631 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$51,000; value of investments, \$216,811.30.

CITY MISSIONARY SOCIETY, 14 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1820.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Jacob P. Bates, *President*; Rev. Daniel W. Waldron, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; Samuel F. Wilkins, *Treasurer*.

The religious and moral instruction of the poor in the city of Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 26.

Number of families aided during year, 1,538.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$947 48
Subscriptions and donations	38,012 06
Annuities and bequests to income	3,581 20
Income from investments, etc.	3,679 56
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Total current expenses	\$46,220 30
Investments sold and matured	12,150 00
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	\$58,370 30

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages	\$17,101 00
Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,319 88
Rent, heat, and light	525 52
Books, papers, and special work	998 29
Fresh-air work, relief of poor, etc.	25,579 61
Miscellaneous	777 91
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Total current expenses	\$46,302 21
Investments	11,773 12
Cash on hand	294 97
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	\$58,370 30

Value of investments, \$114,925.

COLUMBUS DAY NURSERY OF SOUTH BOSTON, 376 West Fourth St., South Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

David W. Creed, *President*; Philip L. McMahon, *Secretary*; Peter W. Walsh, *Treasurer*.

Day care of children of needy working women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 860, viz., 569 partly paying, 291 free; number of families aided, 2,280.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$376 95
From beneficiaries	640 36
Subscriptions and donations	864 35
Bazaar and entertainments	586 35
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	\$2,468 01

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages	\$891 65
Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 90
Provisions and supplies	349 03
Tax, interest, and insurance	175 22
Heat, light, and power	211 34
Furnishings and incidental repairs	216 25
Bedding and clothing	36 88
Paid on mortgage	500 00
Miscellaneous	48 95
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Total current expenses	\$2,443 22
Cash on hand	24 79
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	\$2,468 01

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,000.

**CONFERENCE OF BAPTIST MINISTERS IN MASSACHUSETTS, 505
Tremont Temple, Boston. (Incorporated 1862.)**

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Rev. Robert L. Webb, *President*; Rev. Henry E. Hodge, *Secretary*; Rev. Joseph E. Perry, *Treasurer*.

The promotion of the union and usefulness of its members and the relief of aged and disabled Baptist ministers who are indigent.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 41.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,072 50	Salaries and wages	\$460 99
Subscriptions and donations	815 78	Printing, postage, and office supplies	202 01
Income from investments	12,176 02	Rent	83 31
Miscellaneous	17 09	Box rent in vault	40 00
		Treasurer's bond	50 00
		Card in "Watchman"	15 00
		Directors' fares to meetings	110 17
		To beneficiaries	11,302 50
		Miscellaneous	103 81
		Total current expenses	\$12,367 79
		Cash on hand	2,713 60
	\$15,081 39		\$15,081 39

Value of investments, \$266,339.81.

**CONSUMPTIVES' HOME, TRUSTEES OF THE, 560 Blue Hill Ave., Boston.
(Incorporated 1871.)**

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Elbridge Torrey, *President*; Mrs. E. D. Mallory, *Secretary*; Rev. E. D. Mallory, *Treasurer*; Mrs. C. M. Torrey, *Matron*.

A Protestant home for the care of needy consumptives in the last stages of the disease. No admission fees. Boston patients preferred. Open to all without regard to age, sex, color, nationality, or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year, 67, viz., 1 partly paying, 66 free.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$191 78
From beneficiaries . . .	85 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,064 49
Bequests to income . . .	13,770 57
Income from investments . . .	946 50
Ladies' auxiliary . . .	911 10
Total current receipts . . .	\$16,969 44
Loans to income . . .	4,672 00
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	\$21,641 44

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,647 06
Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	83 88
Provisions and supplies . . .	7,503 95
Heat, light, and water . . .	1,759 56
Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,210 39
Hay, grain, and blacksmith . . .	80 73
Telephone and vault . . .	77 98
Wagon . . .	50 00
Miscellaneous . . .	132 66
Total current expenses . . .	\$16,546 21
Income invested . . .	4,985 33
Cash on hand . . .	109 90
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	\$21,641 44

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$133,427.50; value of investments, \$22,037.13.

CO-OPERATIVE WORKROOMS, INC., 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Mrs. Roger Walcott, *President*; Mrs. Neal Rantoul, *Secretary*; George A. Goddard, *Treasurer*; Miss Sarah R. Berry, *Agent*.

To aid poor women by giving out and teaching sewing.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 182.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$464 85
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,906 00
Sales of sewing work . . .	1,463 87
Interest . . .	15 39
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	\$3,850 11

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,025 00
Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	6 30
Rent, heat, light, and power . . .	44 83
Material for teaching . . .	1,076 67
To 182 women for sewing . . .	1,166 32
Total current expenses . . .	\$3,319 12
Cash on hand . . .	530 99
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	\$3,850 11

DAHLGREN MEMORIAL HALL ASSOCIATION, E and Silver Sts., South Boston. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

J. Payson Bradley, *President*; Francis Z. Jenks, *Secretary*; Frank Wilkinson, *Treasurer*.

To assist indigent soldiers and sailors of the war of the rebellion and their widows and orphan children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 87; number of families aided, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,041 34	Salaries and wages . . .	\$50 00
Income from investments . . .	1,105 57	Rent	170 52
		Charitable and benevolent expense	377 30
		Miscellaneous	21 39
		Total current expenses . . .	\$619 21
		Cash on hand	3,527 70
	<hr/> \$4,146 91		<hr/> \$4,146 91

Value of investments, \$9,800.

DALY INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, Train St., Neponset. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Rev. James J. O'Brien, *Secretary*; Philip J. O'Donnell, *Treasurer*; Sister M. Teresa, *Superintendent*.

Industrial school for poor girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year, 75, viz., 22 partly paying, 53 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,971 28	Salaries and wages	\$1,809 20
From beneficiaries	1,606 03	Printing, postage, and office supplies	67 75
Subscriptions and donations	4,386 19	Provisions and supplies	4,202 61
Income from investments	1,380 68	Heat, light, and power	1,795 81
Miscellaneous (work)	2,724 71	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,707 12
		Insurance	58 50
		Total current expenses	\$10,640 99
		Cash on hand	4,427 90
	<hr/> \$15,068 89		<hr/> \$15,068 89

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; value of investments, \$25,000.

DEACONESS' AID SOCIETY OF NEW ENGLAND, 36 Bromfield St., Boston. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending January, 1913.

Mrs. Frances J. Douglass, *President*; Mrs. Nellie Lacount Rich, *Secretary*; Mrs. George N. Law, *Treasurer*.

To help the various institutions that are under the control of the Deaconess Association, and to help in the general uplifting of humanity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,474 80	Salaries and wages	\$510 00
Subscriptions and donations	202 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	24 05
Annuities and bequests to income	563 00	Rent	8 00
Income from investments	41 47	Guests at hospital	180 00
Mite boxes	197 16	Flowers for hospital	26 65
Annual dues	154 15	Scholarships	200 00
Life members	85 00	Miscellaneous	170 59
Other sources	197 83		
		Total current expenses	\$1,119 29
		Cash on hand	1,796 37
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	\$2,915 66		\$2,915 66

DENISON HOUSE, 93 Tyler St., Boston. (Incorporated 1913.)

Report for year ending October 15, 1913.

Miss Caroline Humphrey, *Chairman*; Miss Mary H. Dana, *Secretary*; Mrs. William A. Copeland, *Treasurer*; Miss Geraldine Gordon, *Head Worker*.

College and educational work through clubs and classes, and neighborhood co-operation for better conditions.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$35 76	Salaries and wages	\$4,638 01
Subscriptions and donations	8,570 76	Printing, postage, and office supplies	302 52
Rent	991 07	Provisions and supplies	2,536 61
House dues, etc. . . .	364 09	Taxes	132 20
Special donation for vacation school	640 00	Heat, light, and power	627 15
Entertainment	1,363 64	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,082 62
Board	4,372 30	Special departments	3,867 91
		Tyler St. vacation school	640 00
Total current receipts	\$16,337 62	Board workers	912 25
Loan	2,000 00	Loan	350 00
		Payment on mortgages	200 00
		Mortgage interest	921 61
		Miscellaneous	1,147 34
		Total current expenses	\$17,358 22
		Cash on hand	979 40
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	\$18,337 62		\$18,337 62

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$39,900; amount of mortgage on same, \$24,600.

DEVENS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Universalist Church, Church Court, Charlestown. (Incorporated 1856.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Mary J. Day, *President*; Mrs. Elizabeth G. Hooper, *Secretary*; Mrs. Elizabeth H. Brown, *Treasurer*.

The promotion of charitable and benevolent objects in Charlestown.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, about 35.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 16	Salaries and wages . . .	\$75 00
Income from investments and principal	450 78	Printing, postage, and office supplies	381 44
		Total current expenses . .	\$456 44
		Cash on hand	10 50
	<hr/> \$466 94		<hr/> \$466 94

Value of investments, \$4,794.45.

DIOCESAN BOARD OF MISSIONS, 1 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D.D., *President*; Prescott Evarts, *Secretary*; Clarence H. Poor, *Treasurer*.

Support of parishes and missions in the diocese.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$13,962 36	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,617 70
From beneficiaries . . .	10,250 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	148 75
Subscriptions and donations	19,641 09	Diocesan objects . . .	16,969 91
Income from investments .	1,469 36	Church militant . . .	850 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$23,586 36
		Income invested	10,188 81
		Cash on hand	11,547 64
	<hr/> \$45,322 81		<hr/> \$45,322 81

Value of investments, \$37,275.59.

DISPENSARY FOR WOMEN, 633 Massachusetts Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending October 10, 1913.

George W. Kaan, M.D., *President*; W. Herbert Grant, *Secretary*; Charles B. Darling, M.D., *Treasurer*.

The treatment of poor women suffering from disease, and particularly those diseases which are peculiar to their sex.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of treatments during year, 7,991; number of new patients treated, 758.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$161 04	Salaries and wages . . .	\$524 50
From beneficiaries . . .	1,058 68	Printing, postage, and office supplies	59 19
Subscriptions and donations . . .	340 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	316 86
Miscellaneous	14 98	Rent	416 70
		Heat, light, and power . . .	55 04
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	20 07
		Laundry	63 28
		Miscellaneous	6 98
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,462 62
		Cash on hand	112 08
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	\$1,574 70		\$1,574 70

DORCHESTER HOUSE, 7 Gordon Place, Dorchester. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Miss Caroline S. Callender, *President*; Mrs. Louis M. Clark, *Secretary*; Mr. Everett H. Sharp, *Treasurer*; Alice Dudley Holman, *Resident in Charge*.

Industrial, educational, and charitable work, and for the establishment and maintenance of places for reading rooms, libraries, social meetings, and other benevolent and charitable work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 400.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2 97	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,545 68
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,647 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies	117 30
Miscellaneous	13 96	Rent	420 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$2,664 81	Heat, light, and power . . .	139 33
Loans to income	100 00	Class and house expense . . .	515 01
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,737 32
		Cash on hand	27 49
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	\$2,764 81		\$2,764 81

DORCHESTER RELIEF SOCIETY, 204 Adams St., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Edwin T. Horne, *President*; Mrs. S. Frank K. Nash, *Secretary*; Clarence B. Humphreys, *Treasurer*; Miss H. Eugenia Bruce, *Agent*.

Care of worthy aged poor; aid to persons recommended by the Associated Charities; free dispensary for needy persons only; support of nurse of Instructive District Nursing Association.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 339; number of families aided, 113.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$149 89	Salaries and wages	\$522 00
Subscriptions and donations	2,876 24	Printing, postage, and office supplies	224 81
Annuities and bequests to income	200 00	Rent	220 00
Income from investments	310 00	Heat, light, and power	12 16
Carried to dispensary account	258 85	Aid	1,481 64
Miscellaneous	75	Dispensary expenses	110 42
		Instructive District Nursing Association	674 40
Total current receipts	\$3,795 73	Associated Charities	67 00
Loans to income	15 63	Balance due treasurer September 30, 1912, dispensary and nurse accounts	224 45
		To dispensary account	258 85
		Total current expenses	\$3,795 73
		Cash on hand	15 63
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	\$3,811 36		\$3,811 36

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$7,685.46.

**EASTERN MISSIONARY ASSOCIATION, 111 Webster St., East Boston.
(Incorporated 1901.)**

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Rev. J. A. Johnson, *President*; Charles Rosenquist, *Secretary*; John Danielson, *Treasurer*; Rev. O. Lindegren, *Superintendent*.

Missionary work: conducts the Scandinavian Sailors' and Immigrants' Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,225, viz., 812 paying, 211 partly paying, 142 free: outside institution, 10, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$284 47	Salaries and wages	\$2,319 80
Subscriptions and donations	2,189 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies	50 02
Income through Home	6,926 04	Provisions and supplies	4,895 74
		Interest, tax, etc.	628 85
		Heat, light, and power	500 52
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	256 91
		Miscellaneous	38 85
		Total current expenses	\$8,690 69
		Cash on hand	808 97
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	\$9,499 66		\$9,499 66

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$6,000.

**ELIZABETH PEABODY HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 357 Charles St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1896.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Dr. Richard G. Wadsworth, *President*; Miss Alice A. Burditt, *Secretary*; Edward J. Holmes, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eva W. White, *Head Resident*.

Educational and social work in the immediate neighborhood, without regard to age, sex, color, nationality, or creed. Modified milk station.

Number of paid officers or employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 1,500, all partly paying; number of families aided, 500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$502 58	Salaries and wages	\$6,980 67
From beneficiaries	344 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	350 99
Subscriptions and donations	7,206 25	Provisions and supplies	1,896 36
Income from investments	80 00	Rent	1,960 66
Fairs and entertainments	3,850 21	Heat, light, and power	520 47
Residents' board and use of telephone	2,492 72	Furnishings and incidental repairs	293 47
Miscellaneous	33 65	Washing and cleaning	117 47
		Telephone	114 71
		Settlement work	1,045 50
		Stenography	214 25
		Insurance	31 75
		Miscellaneous	494 92
		Total current expenses	\$14,021 22
		Cash on hand	538 19
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	\$14,559 41		\$14,559 41

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$81,399.36; amount of mortgage on same, \$23,875.80; value of investments, \$1,987.50; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$23,875.80.

ELLEN M. GIFFORD SHELTERING HOME CORPORATION, 20 Appleton Road, Brighton. (Incorporated, 1888.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Josephine MacC. Shaw, *President*; Constance J. Bessey, *Secretary*; Herbert B. Cushing, *Treasurer*; Albert H. Perkins, *Superintendent*.

Care of deserted animals.

Number of paid officers, 2:

Number aided during year, 1,502.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,066 86	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,348 50
Subscriptions and donations	3 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1 40
Income from investments	6,606 74	Provisions and supplies	1,965 87
		Heat, light, and power	161 32
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	556 42
		Miscellaneous	33 45
		Total current expenses	\$4,066 96
		Income invested	2,106 88
		Cash on hand	1,503 26
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	\$7,677 10		\$7,677 10

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$21,100; value of investments, \$116,820; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$30,000.

ELLIS MEMORIAL AND ELDREDGE HOME, INC., 12 Carver St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. T. Russell Sullivan, *President*; Marjorie C. Appleton, *Secretary*; George U. Crocker, *Treasurer*; Miss Jane R. McCrady, *Head Worker*.

To draw together the best forces in the neighborhood. To furnish and promote healthy recreation. To study conditions in the interests of the neighborhood.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$121 68	Salaries and wages	\$3,342 96
Subscriptions, donations, and entertainments	8,638 22	Printing, postage, and office supplies	142 53
		House supplies and expense	704 73
Total current receipts	\$8,759 90	Rent	180 00
Loans to income	900 00	Heat, light, and power	239 14
		Vacation camp	1,556 80
		Caddy camp	118 27
		Sand garden	459 00
		Telephone	122 59
		Miscellaneous	122 83
		Total current expenses	\$6,988 85
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Loans paid	1,400 00
		Cash on hand	271 05
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	\$9,659 90		\$9,659 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,200; value of investments, \$1,000.

EPISCOPAL CITY MISSION, 1 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1843.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D.D., *President*; Charles E. Mason, *Secretary*; George S. Selfridge, *Treasurer*; Rev. Frederick B. Allen, *Superintendent*.

To search out the religious needs of the city of Boston, and to conduct the missionary work within its limits.

Number of paid officers or employees, about 79, including summer workers.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$251 50	Debit balance . . .	\$9,623 54
Subscriptions and donations . . .	34,589 88	Salaries and wages . . .	24,989 75
Bequests to income . . .	10,324 99	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,833 88
Income from investments . . .	3,333 67	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,534 22
Employers' Liability Assurance Corporation . . .	4 00	Rent . . .	520 00
For diocesan missions . . .	6,500 55	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,921 29
For diocesan mission fund . . .	1,850 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,224 99
Total current receipts . . .	\$56,854 59	Relief, Christmas, etc. . .	1,368 23
Debit balance . . .	10,235 99	Interest . . .	1,322 80
		Water rates, insurance, and taxes . . .	1,567 62
		Playrooms, excursions, etc., besides stipends . . .	556 74
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,380 66
		Total current expenses . . .	\$47,848 72
		To improvements, St. Ansgarius Church, etc. . .	565 66
		To treasurer, Diocesan Board of Missions . . .	6,500 55
		To beneficiaries, diocesan mission fund, etc. . .	1,850 66
		Carried to capital . . .	10,324 99
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	\$67,090 58		\$67,090 58

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$233,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$26,600; value of investments, \$81,027.59; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$1,980.

EVANGELISTIC ASSOCIATION OF NEW ENGLAND, 519 Tremont Temple, Boston. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

James B. Bell, M.D., *President*; S. M. Sayford, *General Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Arthur Reddish, *Recording Secretary*.

To assist in evangelistic work throughout New England; to maintain a bureau for supplying ministers for vacant pulpits; to minister to the comfort of patients in the hospitals of Boston and

vicinity. Little material aid is given, but other assistance is rendered to many hospital patients.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,069 93	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,792 68
Bequests to income . . .	6,000 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	613 74
Subscriptions and donations . . .	5,948 38	Rent	600 00
Hospital visitation . . .	1,475 32	Light	6 60
Earnings of secretary . . .	263 85	Hospital visitation . . .	1,703 03
Commissions ministerial department . . .	164 76	Evangelistic work . . .	3,311 52
Collections in evangelistic work	1,744 70	Miscellaneous	169 25
Miscellaneous	191 16		
		Total current expenses . . .	\$11,196 82
		Cash on hand	5,661 28
	<hr/> \$16,858 10		<hr/> \$16,858 10

FAITH AND HOPE ASSOCIATION, 229 Huntington Chambers, Boston.
Summer camp at West Townsend. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending December 1, 1913.

Mrs. M. Clara Kirby, *President* and *Superintendent*; Miss Maud A. Brigham, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Taking music and helpful literature to hospitals, old ladies' homes, etc. Taking Christmas gifts and necessary comforts to sick and needy women and children. Summer camps for tired-out women and children.

Number of paid employees, 2.

Number aided during year in institution, 156, viz., 150 partly paying, 6 free; outside institution, 991; families aided, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$96 63	Salaries and wages	\$244 00
From beneficiaries	455 17	Printing, postage, and office supplies	182 95
Subscriptions and donations	1,236 80	Provisions and supplies	634 89
		Rent	143 50
		Heat, light, and power	111 28
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	90 10
		Miscellaneous	296 41
		Total current expenses	\$1,703 13
		Cash on hand	85 47
	<hr/> \$1,788 60		<hr/> \$1,788 60

THE FARM AND TRADES SCHOOL, Thompson's Island, Boston. (Incorporated 1835.)

Report for year ending January 18, 1913.

Alfred Bowditch, *President*; Tucker Daland, *Secretary*; Arthur Adams, *Treasurer*; Charles H. Bradley, *Superintendent*.

The training and education of worthy boys of fair physical and

mental condition, between the ages of ten and sixteen years, for higher school and useful occupations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 21.

Number aided during year, 129, viz., 89 partly paying, 40 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,945 03	Salaries and wages	\$13,437 68
From beneficiaries	6,014 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,205 88
Subscriptions and donations	5,428 00	Provisions and supplies	7,001 11
Bequests	52,000 00	Heat, light, and power	8,001 07
Income from investments	17,032 70	Furnishings and incidental repairs	9,179 54
Miscellaneous	1,213 08	Farm	2,979 72
Total current receipts	\$85,633 69	Clothing	1,283 07
Loans	4,000 00	Medical	196 19
Receipts from income	77 50	Educational and industrial	1,763 89
Sale of securities	12,018 25	Miscellaneous	1,436 79
		Total current expenses	\$41,484 94
		Investments	44,565 00
		Loans paid	12,500 00
		Cash on hand	3,179 50
	\$101,729 44		\$101,729 44

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$43,075; value of investments, \$269,433.66.

FATHERS' AND MOTHERS' CLUB, 3 Joy St., Boston. Home, 73 Grove St., Reading. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for seven months ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Mary Pamela Rice, *President*; Mrs. Edith Garcelon Dennis, *Secretary*; Mrs. Clara J. Marsh, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Anna E. Connor, *House Mother*.

To interest men and women to work for purer, truer homes, and to carry on at the club farm in Reading the work of upbuilding delicate and anæmic school children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 147. Children taken for outings, 200.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$136 25	Salaries and wages	\$367 47
Subscriptions and donations	1,061 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies	134 19
		Provisions and supplies	359 99
		Rent	40 00
		Heat	32 25
		Extra taxes to town of Reading	83 84
		Interest on mortgage	100 00
		Miscellaneous	29 09
		Total current expenses	\$1,146 83
		Cash on hand	50 62
	\$1,197 45		\$1,197 45

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,000; amount of fund, \$217.81.

THE FAULKNER HOSPITAL CORPORATION, Centre St., Ward 23, Boston.
(Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Randall G. Morris, *President*; Miss Emily G. Denny, *Secretary*;
Ingersoll Bowditch, *Treasurer*; Miss Edith I. Cox, *Superintendent*.

General hospital purposes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

Number aided during year, 521, viz., 352 paying, 7 partly paying, 162 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,580 24	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,810 49
From beneficiaries . . .	17,504 56	Printing, postage, and office supplies	197 00
Subscriptions and donations	2 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	9,484 19
Income from investments	20,939 65	Rent	302 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	3,020 55
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,739 55
		Medicine and apparatus . . .	1,079 07
		Miscellaneous	9,325 54
		Total current expenses . . .	\$34,958 39
		Income invested	14 65
		Cash on hand	11,053 41
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	\$46,026 45		\$46,026 45

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$158,108.38; value of investments, \$401,926.28.

FEDERATED BOYS' CLUBS, 35 Congress St., Boston. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Thomas Chew, *President*; George N. Putnam, *Secretary*; Frank A. Day, *Treasurer*.

To associate individuals and clubs in order to promote the work of boys' clubs, and to further the formation of new clubs where needed; to disburse funds and to hold property for the purpose of such work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$119 63	Salaries and wages	\$2,034 66
Subscriptions and donations	4,928 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies	460 36
		Rent	350 00
		Extension and field work	1,338 15
		Traveling	145 29
		Conferences	129 30
		Story hour fund	100 00
		Total current expenses	\$4,557 76
		Cash on hand	490 62
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	\$5,048 38		\$5,048 38

**FEDERATED JEWISH CHARITIES OF BOSTON, 43 Hawkins St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1908.)**

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

A. C. Ratshesky, *President*; Edward E. Norton, *Secretary*; Simon E. Hecht, *Treasurer*; Mrs. M. M. Silverman, *Superintendent*.

To maintain a central office for the eight affiliated societies, viz., United Hebrew Benevolent Association, Home for Jewish Children, Hebrew Women's Sewing Society, Hebrew Industrial School, Hebrew Immigrant Aid Society, Mount Sinai Hospital, Charitable Burial Association, Boston Branch Baron de Hirsch Fund, and to solicit funds for support of same.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,015 18	Salaries and wages	\$4,718 51
Subscriptions and donations	63,664 07	Printing, postage, and office supplies, telephone, furniture, fixtures, annual reports and notices, auditing, etc.	1,765 20
Interest	307 73	Heat, light, and power	181 71
Loan	2,000 00	Eight societies	54,150 00
		Loan	2,000 00
		Commissions	52 40
		Car fares	44 91
		Total current expenses	\$62,912 73
		Cash on hand	10,074 25
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	\$72,986 98		\$72,986 98

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$5,000.

**FIRST SPIRITUALIST LADIES' AID SOCIETY, 7 Appleton St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1882.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Frances L. Savage, *President*; Annie J. Haynes, *Secretary*; Nellie E. Abbott, *Treasurer*.

To assist worthy Spiritualists and others in need.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 50; number of families aided, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$33 46	Salaries and wages	\$93 83
Subscriptions and donations	95 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	5 00
Annuities and bequests to income	62 96	Rent	165 00
Income from investments	32 00	Miscellaneous	3 00
Miscellaneous	158 81		
		Total current expenses	\$266 83
		Cash on hand	115 40
	<hr/> \$382 23		<hr/> \$382 23

Value of investments, \$1,000.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON LEAGUE OF COMPASSION, INCORPORATED,
 executive office, 514 Tremont Temple, Boston; Maternity Home, 701-703 Massachusetts Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. A. Z. Conrad, D.D., *President*; Mrs. John Knox Marshall, *Secretary*; Rev. O. P. Gifford, *Treasurer*; Mrs. C. M. Ellinwood, *Matron*.

For the purpose of engaging in a general rescue and preventive work in behalf of erring women and girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year in institution, 90, viz., 44 paying, 29 partly paying, 17 free; outside institution, 105.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,668 09	Salaries and wages	\$6,550 34
From beneficiaries	1,115 09	Printing, postage, and office supplies	649 92
Subscriptions and donations	14,764 73	Provisions and supplies	2,521 38
Annuities and bequests to income	8,100 00	Rent and telephones	427 86
Income from investments	121 10	Heat, light, and power	1,103 96
Payment of mortgage	9,383 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,543 00
Hospital and roof garden	2,751 00	Mortgage	11,000 00
Corporation fees	175 00	Loan repaid, interest on loan, mortgage and bonds	2,533 06
For endowment	3,008 00	Hospital expenses and repairs	4,339 18
		Advertising and soliciting	982 99
		Miscellaneous	1,284 34
		Total current expenses	\$33,936 03
		Income invested	2,937 50
		Cash on hand	4,212 98
	<hr/> \$41,086 51		<hr/> \$41,086 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$18,000; value of investments, \$3,000.

FORSYTH DENTAL INFIRMARY FOR CHILDREN, Fenway and Hemenway St., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Thomas A. Forsyth, *President*; Chester B. Humphrey, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Dr. Harold deW. Cross, *Director*.

Establishing and maintaining an infirmary for the reception and oral treatment, dental, medical, and surgical, of children under the age of sixteen years and of such others as the corporation may from time to time determine upon.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Received from Old Colony Trust Company, trustee.	\$63,846 74	Expenditures	\$40 93
Income	1,350 30	Cash on hand	65,156 11
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	\$65,197 04		\$65,197 04

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, about \$964,597.24.

THE FRAGMENT SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1816.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Cora Leslie Turner, *President*; Mrs. R. L. Monks, *Secretary*; Annie A. Hough, *Treasurer*.

To supply clothing to needy women and children.

Number aided during year, 1,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,721 95	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$16 22
Subscriptions and donations	149 00	Miscellaneous	2,120 79
Income from investments	906 35		
Ashton fund	1,600 00	Total current expenses	\$2,137 01
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	4,240 29
	\$6,377 30		<hr/>
			\$6,377 30

Value of investments, \$20,863.01.

FRANCES E. WILLARD SETTLEMENT, 38-46 Chambers St., Boston. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Caroline M. Caswell, *President* and *General Manager*; Nellie F. Hill, *Secretary*; Mrs. Elmer A. Stevens, *Treasurer*.

For the purpose of providing a home or homes for young working women or women earning very low salaries, or those training for

self-support who need temporary aid, and helping strangers who need assistance, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 22.

Number aided during year in institution, 232, viz., 221 paying, 15 partly paying, 6 free; outside institution, 1,817, viz., 1,616 partly paying, 201 free; number of families aided, 500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$187 48	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,412 01
From beneficiaries . . .	5,375 99	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	977 19
Subscriptions and donations	16,127 64	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,982 81
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,000 00	Interest, principal, and insurance . . .	4,696 54
Income from investments . . .	1,648 87	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,112 11
Entertainments and sales . . .	2,159 92	Furnishings, improvements, and repairs . . .	3,815 59
Farm . . .	329 21	Laundry . . .	681 67
Industrial . . .	1,040 55	Farm and cranberry bog . . .	1,732 09
		Clubs . . .	384 22
		Industrial . . .	1,120 92
		Miscellaneous . . .	295 15
		Total current expenses . . .	\$27,210 30
		Cash on hand . . .	659 36
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	\$27,869 66		\$27,869 66

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$97,333; amount of mortgage on same, \$51,500; value of investments, \$17,157.50.

FRANCES MERRY BARNARD HOME, INCORPORATED, 25 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending January 10, 1913.

John H. Kendall, *President*; F. Stanley Howe, *Treasurer* and *Clerk*.

To acquire and maintain a home for the occupancy of single women of not less than fifty years of age, and married couples of not less than sixty years of age, who through no fault of their own have been reduced in circumstances, and who are preferably though not necessarily of the Unitarian faith.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,732 80	Investments . . .	\$1,532 85
Income from investments . . .	526 80	Miscellaneous . . .	13 15
		Cash on hand . . .	713 60
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	\$2,259 60		\$2,259 60

Value of investments, \$11,186.25.

Not yet in operation.

FRANKLIN SQUARE HOUSE, 11 East Newton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Rev. George L. Perin, *President*; J. Porter Russell, *Secretary*;
Jere A. Downs, *Treasurer*; Castine C. Swanson, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for working girls at moderate cost.

Number of paid officers or employees, 127.

Number aided during year, 948, viz., 852 paying, 72 partly paying, 24 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$14,827 81	Salaries and wages . .	\$40,042 32
From beneficiaries . . .	107,169 43	Printing, postage, and	
Subscriptions and dona-		office supplies . . .	2,254 97
tions . . .	12,565 00	Provisions and supplies . .	50,778 23
Income from investments . .	712 14	General repairs . . .	5,855 71
Organ receipts . . .	363 42	Heat, light, and power . .	10,228 52
Post office . . .	25 00	Furnishings . . .	2,056 69
Entertainments . . .	430 32	Laundry expense . . .	573 72
Miscellaneous . . .	1,099 37	Hospital expense . . .	320 44
		Advertising . . .	318 41
		Legal and auditing . .	450 00
		Insurance . . .	1,107 69
		Miscellaneous . . .	35 79
		Total current expenses . .	\$114,022 49
		Cash on hand . . .	23,170 00
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	\$137,192 49		\$137,192 49

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$262,705.88; value of investments, \$13,614.

FRAUEN VEREIN, 216 Warren St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Henrietta Benjamin, *President*; Jetty Robinson, *Secretary*; Julia Stone, *Treasurer*.

To establish a convalescent home.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$960 84	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations . .	769 60	supplies . . .	\$120 40
Income from investments . .	33 78	Rent . . .	50 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$170 40
		Cash on hand . . .	1,593 82
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	\$1,764 22		\$1,764 22

THE FREDERIC OZANAM HOUSE ASSOCIATION OF DORCHESTER,
35 Linden St., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Nicholas Browne, Jr., *President*; Dr. William J. Walton, *Secretary*; Edward J. O'Neil, *Treasurer*; Sister Evarista, *Matron*.

Day nursery for care of children while mothers are at work; incidentally, work procured for women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 225, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$224 87	Salaries and wages . . .	\$484 00
From beneficiaries . . .	480 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	75 25
Subscriptions and donations	1,364 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	535 25
Interest	9 36	Rent	240 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	126 39
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	19 12
		Miscellaneous	33 84
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,513 85
		Cash on hand	564 83
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	\$2,078 68		\$2,078 68

THE FREDERICK E. WEBER CHARITIES CORPORATION, 53 State St., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending July 18, 1913.

Arthur L. Howard, *President*; Howard P. Wise, *Clerk*; George M. Amerige, *Treasurer*.

Benevolence or charity, public or private, including educational or charitable institutions, and the relief of individual need regardless of nationality or color.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 109 individuals and 8 corporations.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$42 32	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,900 00
From beneficiaries (loans repaid and interest)	703 32	Printing, postage, and office supplies	11 56
Income from investments	18,406 93	Rent	300 00
Refund from Associated Charities	38 25	Educational purposes and relief of individual need	6,321 50
		Miscellaneous	47 35
		Total current expenses . .	\$8,580 41
		Income invested	10,500 00
		Cash on hand	110 41
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	\$19,190 82		\$19,190 82

Value of investments, \$386,032.

FRENCH WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 28 Appleton St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. D. K. Craig, *President*; Mrs. W. H. Carter, *Secretary*; Marcel L. Orleans, *Treasurer*; Mrs. L. Parrot, *Matron*.

To help French-speaking girls secure employment and keep them in a Christian atmosphere.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 146, viz., 145 paying, 1 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$245 42	Salaries and wages . . .	\$630 55
From beneficiaries . . .	1,727 64	Printing, postage, and office supplies	86 70
Subscriptions and donations	77 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	810 28
Sale	187 55	Water tax	17 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	152 25
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	78 85
		Interest on mortgage . . .	262 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,038 13
		Cash on hand	199 48
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	\$2,237 61		\$2,237 61

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,250; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,250.

GERMAN AID SOCIETY OF BOSTON AND VICINITY, 39 Charity Building, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1848.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

C. W. Holtzer, *President*; Oscar A. Schmidt, *Corresponding Secretary*; Sebastian Gahm, *Treasurer*; J. A. Weigmann, *Agent*.

Aids German immigrants to find employment, provides temporary support, and aids poor German residents in Boston without regard to creed, giving food, fuel, rent, clothing, and medical aid.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 59; number of families aided, 169.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$358 50	Salaries and wages	\$500 00
Subscriptions and donations	816 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	40 75
Income from investments	1,244 98	Provisions and supplies	1,537 69
Legacy	400 00	Heat, light, and power	29 24
		Safe deposit box	10 00
		Treasurer's bond	25 00
		Telephone	31 96
		Collection expense	9 20
		Miscellaneous	13 50
		Total current expenses	\$2,197 34
		Cash on hand	622 14
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	\$2,819 48		\$2,819 48

Value of investments, \$32,409.48.

GERMAN LADIES' AID SOCIETY OF BOSTON, 29 Middlesex St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending September 26, 1913.

Mrs. Lizzie Munz, *President*; Mrs. Jacobina Schrifgiesser, *Secretary*; Miss Anna Bauer, *Treasurer*.

To assist needy German widows and orphans, and to establish a home for the aged if possible.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number of families aided during year, 21.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$153 01	Salaries and wages	\$45 00
Subscriptions and donations	90 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	15 12
Income from investments	277 89	Provisions and supplies	407 00
Membership dues	346 00	Rent	20 00
From whist party	128 55	Shoes and underwear	194 76
Miscellaneous	8 50	Safety vault	10 00
		Miscellaneous	26 50
		Total current expenses	\$718 38
		Cash on hand	286 07
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	\$1,004 45		\$1,004 45

Value of investments, \$14,983.92.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY HOME, Milford, New Hampshire. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Mrs. William Lawrence, *President*; Mrs. James F. Hunnewell, *Secretary*; Robert D. Weston, *Treasurer*.

To provide a vacation home for the members of the Girls' Friendly Society.

Number of paid employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 382.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,916 39	Salaries and wages	\$560 12
Subscriptions and donations	1,506 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	115 12
Income from investments	492 39	Provisions and supplies	1,951 32
From board	1,991 00	Heat, light, and power	85 25
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	227 71
		Taxes	88 40
		Station work, freight, etc.	654 36
		New engine, pump, etc.	588 08
		Repairs on buildings	238 73
		Care of trees, etc.	168 27
		Miscellaneous	120 72
		Total current expenses	\$4,798 08
		Cash on hand	1,107 70
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	\$5,905 78		\$5,905 78

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$5,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

GOVERNOR JOHN A. ANDREW HOME ASSOCIATION, 10 Woodbine St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Lucie E. Lehman, *President*; Elizabeth Davis, *Secretary*; Edith Drake, *Treasurer*; Lurana P. Wood, *Matron*.

To provide a home for needy civil war veterans and their wives.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$474 44	Salaries and wages	\$171 75
Subscriptions and donations	536 86	Printing, postage, and office supplies	46 80
Dues	23 00	Provisions and supplies	383 83
From beneficiaries	267 05	Rent	660 00
Meals and room	131 90	Heat, light, and power	156 08
Flag book	110 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	26 09
Miscellaneous	47 33	Telephone	39 92
		Insurance on furniture	10 00
		Water tax	19 25
		Miscellaneous	23 15
		Total current expenses	\$1,536 87
		Cash on hand	53 71
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	\$1,590 58		\$1,590 58

THE GUILD OF ST. ELIZABETH, 59 East Springfield St., Boston. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Miss Maud M. Rockwell, *President*; Mrs. James W. Hinckley, *Secretary*; Miss Alice F. Murray, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary A. Mulowney and Mrs. Rose Simmons, *Matrons*.

Benevolent work among children of the poor of all nationalities and creeds, including day nursery.

Number of paid employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 500, viz., 117 paying 5 cents a day, 15 partly paying, 368 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$693 37	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,533 97
Members' fees	90 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	52 05
Subscriptions and donations	177 75	Provisions and supplies	473 64
Entertainments	1,334 92	Interest on mortgage	350 00
Honorary members	670 00	Heat, light, and power	180 18
Day nursery	549 12	Furnishings and incidental repairs	405 89
Summer outings	49 00	Entertainments	80 82
Interest	28 96	Sewing school supplies	95 19
		Summer outings	25 00
		Telephone	36 10
		Miscellaneous	20 22
		Total current expenses	\$3,253 06
		Cash on hand	340 06
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	\$3,593 12		\$3,593 12

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$7,000; value of investments, \$500.

HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL, Boston. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending January 12, 1913.

Samuel A. Kimball, *President*; Sumner Robinson, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*, 35 Congress St., Boston.

Maintenance of hospital for medical or surgical cases in accordance with principles of homœopathy.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,261 10	Premium on treasurer's bond	\$30 00
Income from investments	1,463 25	Legal services	23 00
		Commission of 5 per cent. income	73 16
		Total current expenses	\$126 16
		Cash on hand	2,598 19
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	\$2,724 35		\$2,724 35

Value of investments, \$29,010.

The corporation is not doing business, but is adding income to principal.

HALE HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 6 Garland St., Boston. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Henry B. Sawyer, *President*; John H. Oakes, *Secretary*; Walter W. Beckett, *Treasurer*; Ernest C. Amy, *Head Resident*.

To foster a spirit of individual independence and neighborhood co-operation and to promote good citizenship.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 900, viz., 800 partly paying, 100 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,703 71
Subscriptions and donations	11,244 44	Printing, postage, and office supplies	370 23
Income from investments	703 15	Rent	660 00
Miscellaneous	86 51	Heat, light, and power . . .	491 38
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	470 38
		Mortgage, interest, and insurance	298 69
		Camps	4,369 67
		Clubs, classes, etc. . . .	320 54
		Miscellaneous	249 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$11,934 10
		Income invested	70 68
		Cash on hand	31 32
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	\$12,036 10		\$12,036 10

HARRIET TUBMAN HOUSE, 25 Holyoke St., Boston. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Julia O. Henson, *President*; Mrs. Annie W. Young, *Secretary*; Mrs. Cornelia R. Robinson, *Treasurer* and *Matron*.

To maintain a home for young working women, with home comforts, at the lowest possible cost; an employment bureau maintained.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 65, viz., 62 paying, 3 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2 21	Salaries and wages . . .	\$38 55
From rent of rooms and lecture room	807 24	Printing, postage, and office supplies	17 00
		Provisions and supplies . . .	156 00
		Invested in building	97 00
		Heat and light	196 62
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	235 40
		Insurance	13 00
		Water rates	17 25
		Miscellaneous	38 63
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	\$809 45		\$809 45

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; amount of mortgage, \$4,500.

THE HEBREW IMMIGRANT AID SOCIETY, 104 Salem St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Isaac Heller, *President*; James H. Stone, *Secretary*; Harris Poorvu, *Treasurer*.

To aid Hebrew immigrants, particularly detained immigrants.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Employs a collector on commission.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From federation	\$900 00	Salaries and wages	\$2,600 00
Subscriptions and donations	5,523 68	Collection fees and expenses	1,400 56
		Printing, postage, and office supplies	207 80
		Rent	300 00
		Gas	20 16
		Telephone and telegrams . .	115 78
		Banquet	116 10
		Transportation	63 10
		Checks refused payment . .	8 10
		Deficit, May, 1912	980 19
		Total current expenses . .	\$5,811 79
		Cash on hand	611 89
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	\$6,423 68		\$6,423 68

HEBREW INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, 154 Charles St., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Louis Hecht, *President*; Miss Golde Bamber, *Secretary and Superintendent*; Albert Van Raalte, *Treasurer*.

Trade and industrial training of the daughters of immigrants.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 260, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$728 09	Salaries	\$2,734 50
Federation	3,300 00	Rent	900 00
Baron de Hirsch fund . .	500 00	Expenses	1,644 52
Sales and work	81 27	Total current expenses . .	\$5,279 02
Interest	661 28	Cash on hand	933 62
Bequest	350 00		
Subscriptions and donations	142 00		
Rent	450 00		
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	\$6,212 64		\$6,212 64

Value of investments, \$18,000.

**HEBREW LADIES' MOSHEV ZEKAINIM ASSOCIATION, 21 Queen St.,
Dorchester. (Incorporated 1903.)**

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Robert Finkelstein, *President*; Harris Koritz, *Secretary*; Mrs. Minnie Merkelson, *Treasurer*; Baer Solomon, *Superintendent*.

To care for old and indigent Jewish men and women of Boston and vicinity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 78.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,137 74	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,269 30
From beneficiaries . . .	2,500 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies	342 53
Subscriptions and donations	8,947 53	Provisions and supplies . . .	5,042 18
Annuities and bequests to income	250 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,741 08
Income from investments	491 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	337 00
Entertainments	1,001 00	Paid on mortgage	9,000 00
Special collection for payment of mortgage	7,750 97	Interest and collection . . .	1,275 57
		Miscellaneous	1,603 22
		Total current expenses . .	\$22,610 88
		Cash on hand	468 11
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	\$23,078 99		\$23,078 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$43,000; value of investments, \$5,000.

HEBREW WOMEN'S SEWING SOCIETY, 154 Charles St., Boston. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending May 7, 1913.

Mrs. J. Herman, *President*; Mrs. I. K. E. Prager, *Secretary*; Mrs. L. Baer, *Treasurer*.

To clothe and befriend the Jewish poor, and give recreation to poor children and mothers of the Jewish faith.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 1,387.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$221 63	Salaries and wages	\$800 00
Subscriptions and donations	233 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	32 08
Annuities and bequests to income	39 73	Provisions and supplies	3,201 53
Income from investments	335 00	Rent	450 00
Federated Charities	4,000 00	Insurance	15 91
		Sundries	178 98
		Total current expenses	\$4,678 50
		Cash on hand	150 86
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	\$4,829 36		\$4,829 36

Value of investments, \$10,050.

THE HOLY CHILD DAY NURSERY, 100 High St., Charlestown. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Miss Mary Morris, *President*; Mrs. Elisabeth Breen Crowley, *Secretary*; Mrs. Eleanor Brennan, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Ellen Finnegan, *Matron*.

To establish and support a day nursery where worthy women who are obliged to go out to work to support their families may leave their young children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 5,038, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$306 83	Salaries and wages	\$644 50
Subscriptions and donations	1,953 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	10 25
Dues	69 00	Provisions and supplies	80 30
		Heat, light, and power	76 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	924 56
		Water rates	10 00
		Interest	100 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,845 61
		Cash on hand	483 92
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	\$2,329 53		\$2,329 53

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$2,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,000.

HOME FOR AGED COLORED WOMEN, 22 Hancock St., Boston. (Incorporated 1864.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Joseph P. Loud, *President*; Miss Lucy Parsons, *Clerk*; Robert Homans, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary E. Townsend, *Matron*.

Support of indigent aged colored women in the Home and partial support of other such women outside the Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year in institution, 23; outside institution, 59.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$733 21	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,586 82
Subscriptions and donations	558 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	60 66
Annuities and bequests to income	1,500 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,336 67
Income from investments	7,458 65	Heat, light, and power . . .	561 68
Miscellaneous	30 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	598 41
		Medicine, hospital treatment, etc. . . .	123 39
		Outside aid	2,735 00
		Insurance	84 00
		Pensions	140 00
		Telephone and water rates . . .	53 99
		Funerals and care of cemetery lots	129 50
		Accrued interest on investments	139 16
		Miscellaneous	55 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$8,604 28
		Income invested	1,053 72
		Cash on hand	622 46
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	\$10,280 46		\$10,280 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,000; value of investments, \$160,885.81.

HOME FOR AGED COUPLES, 409-417 Walnut Ave. and 2055 Columbus Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Elizabeth Abbott Carleton, *President*; Annie C. Hayden, *Secretary*; J. W. Smith, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Annie Manchester and Miss H. C. Wingate, *Matrons*.

Protestant home for American couples who have seen better days and are upwards of sixty-five years of age. Admission fee, \$400 and conveyance of property to home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 22.

Number aided during year, 80.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,484 14	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,559 67
From beneficiaries . . .	6,800 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	311 47
Subscriptions and donations	1,783 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	7,893 36
Bequests	117,146 20	Safe deposit vault	100 00
Income from investments . .	28,216 20	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,757 23
Payment mortgage note . . .	1,000 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,983 90
Exchange of securities . . .	250 00	Insurance account	502 55
Metropolitan Street Railroad	198 55	Medical and funeral expenses	389 70
Payment on note and interest	157 00	Betterment tax on home estate	525 00
Rebate, national bank tax . .	39 84	Improvements and furnishings	9,730 01
		Miscellaneous	498 27
		Total current expenses . .	\$30,251 16
		Income invested	87,910 00
		Cash on hand	42,413 77
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	\$160,574 93		\$160,574 93

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$203,100; value of investments, \$748,238.01; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$2,000.

HOME FOR AGED MEN, 133 West Springfield St., Boston. (Incorporated 1860.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles E. Rogerson, *President*; Charles A. Coolidge, *Secretary*; Charles W. Jones, *Treasurer*; Helen L. Mallory, *Superintendent*.

Providing a home for and extending outside aid to respectable worthy men at least fifty-five years of age who have resided in Boston during the ten years preceding their application for relief. Admission fee, \$150.

Number of paid employees, 20.

Number aided during year in institution, 57; outside institution, 98.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,492 14	Wages	\$8,524 37
Admission fees	600 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	517 58
Subscriptions and donations	25 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	9,364 79
Annuities and bequests . . .	3,674 86	Insurance	340 00
Income from investments . .	37,943 58	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,897 99
From Austin fund	1,200 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,065 60
From outside estates	2,700 00	Beneficiaries	15,199 00
Miscellaneous	129 46	Austin fund	1,025 00
		Annuitants	3,700 00
		Miscellaneous	438 91
		Total current expenses . .	\$43,073 24
		Improvements and additions to real estate	3,061 61
		Income invested	1,596 81
		Cash on hand	1,033 38
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Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; value of investments, \$815,872.55.

HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 108 Revere St., Boston. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Winthrop H. Wade, *President*; Frank W. Kaan, *Secretary*; William P. Blake, *Treasurer*; Maria F. Ladd, *Matron*.

Home for aged women of American parentage who have resided in Boston for ten years preceding application for admission and who are at least sixty-five years of age. Admission fee, \$150. Assistance given to those outside of the Home and to aged nurses, being beneficiaries of the Doane and Edward Austin funds.

Number of paid officers and employees, 36.

Number aided during year in institution, 98; outside institution, 114.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,961 45	Salaries and wages . .	\$16,056 53
From beneficiaries . .	3,196 89	Provisions and supplies .	13,804 59
Donations . . .	45 00	Heat, light, and power .	4,047 43
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,200 00	For running home . .	8,789 98
Income from investments .	49,096 71	Edward Austin fund beneficiaries . . .	1,075 00
Miscellaneous . . .	466 63	Doane fund beneficiaries .	6,150 55
		Outside beneficiaries . .	6,204 12
Total current receipts .	\$55,966 68	Miscellaneous . . .	1,065 87
Excess of expenditures .	3,822 99		
		Total current expenses .	\$57,194 07
		Cash on hand . . .	2,595 60
	\$59,789 67		\$59,789 67

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$200,612.29; value of investments, \$882,872.24.

HOME FOR DESTITUTE CATHOLIC CHILDREN OF BOSTON, 788 Harrison Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1864.)

Report for year ending January 13, 1913.

John P. Manning, *President*; William J. Porter, *Secretary*; John A. Bruen, *Treasurer*; D. J. Pyne, *Superintendent*.

Temporary care of destitute Catholic children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 1,763.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$6,821 08	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,024 00
Subscriptions and donations	8,607 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies	538 56
Bequests	25,653 61	Provisions and supplies	12,940 11
Ladies' Aid Society	13,752 90	Heat, light, and power	2,017 68
From real estate	1,444 70	Furnishings and incidental repairs	3,042 15
Redemption of Maine Central Railroad bonds	5,000 00	Fire escapes	813 42
Income from investments	3,890 61	Miscellaneous	3,140 35
Miscellaneous	5 27		
		Total current expenses	\$28,515 87
		Income invested	29,622 09
		Cash on hand	7,037 41
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	\$65,175 37		\$65,175 37

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$140,000; value of investments, \$101,222.31.

**HOME FOR JEWISH CHILDREN, Canterbury St., corner Austin St.,
Dorchester. (Incorporated 1909.)**

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

David A. Lourie, *President*; Abraham E. Pinanski, *Financial Secretary*; Caspar M. Grosberg, *Recording Secretary*; Oscar Grosberg, *Treasurer*; Louis Cohen, *Superintendent*.

Care and maintenance of destitute Jewish children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number aided during year, 209.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$452 58	Salaries and wages	\$7,940 80
Subscriptions and donations	25,969 04	Printing, postage, and office supplies	63 16
Annuities and bequests to income	1,075 50	Provisions and supplies	9,518 77
		Heat, light, and power	3,184 60
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,954 10
		Miscellaneous	4,500 10
		Total current expenses	\$27,161 53
		Cash on hand	335 59
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	\$27,497 12		\$27,497 12

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, about \$90,000.

**THE HOUSEHOLD NURSING ASSOCIATION, office, 6 Marlborough St.,
Boston. (Incorporated 1912.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. Mary H. Coolidge, *President*; Anna L. Coolidge, *Clerk*;
George W. Brainard, *Treasurer*; Ann E. Murray, *Superintendent*.

Care of the sick in the home.

Number of paid employees, from 10 to 15.

Number aided from December 1, 1912, to April 30, 1913 (no record being available prior to December 1, 1912), 96, all paying; number of families aided, 94.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$961 53	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,809 86
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,865 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	173 55
Miscellaneous . . .	5 35	Rent . . .	234 00
		Coal . . .	41 00
		Telephone . . .	59 06
		Miscellaneous . . .	39 36
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,356 83
		Cash on hand . . .	475 25
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	\$3,832 08		\$3,832 08

HOUSE OF THE ANGEL GUARDIAN, TRUSTEES OF THE, 85 Vernon St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1853.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Brother Jude, *President, Treasurer, and Superintendent*; Brother Cleophas, *Secretary*.

An asylum for destitute and orphan boys; also for delinquent children to save them from commitment; gives educational and industrial training.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 927, viz., 183 paying, 379 partly paying, 365 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,393 77	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,647 46
Towards building fund . . .	3,913 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	491 87
Society of the Angel Guardian . . .	23,731 56	Provisions and supplies . . .	26,023 64
Bequests to income . . .	1,637 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	3,333 28
Board and clothing . . .	23,238 24	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	2,266 62
Earnings of the Angel Guardian Press . . .	4,316 94	Miscellaneous . . .	1,444 07
Rent of Maplewood farm . . .	1,232 56	Total current expenses . . .	\$39,206 94
Miscellaneous . . .	869 04	Invested for building fund . . .	21,449 17
	<hr/>	Cash on hand . . .	1,676 20
	\$62,332 31		<hr/>
			\$62,332 31

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$175,000; value of investments, \$70,425.50.

HOUSE OF THE GOOD SAMARITAN, Francis and Binney Sts., Boston.
(Incorporated 1861.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Joseph S. Bigelow, *President*; Miss C. A. Codman, *Secretary*;
Francis W. Hunnewell, *Treasurer*; Miss Louise M. Coleman, *Superintendent*.

A hospital for white women and children without condition of religion, nationality, or residence; also a day camp for tuberculosis patients.

Number of paid officers or employees, 21.

Number aided during year in institution, 189, all free; outside institution, 263, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$54 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,729 17
Subscriptions and donations	6,155 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	161 09
Annuities and bequests to income	8,450 00	Provisions and supplies	11,663 48
Income from investments	12,216 76	Heat, light, and power	3,435 05
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,070 87
		Beneficiaries	123 58
		Chaplain	400 00
		Tax, insurance, and safety box	248 85
		Miscellaneous	492 65
		Total current expenses	\$26,324 74
		Income invested	449 36
		Cash on hand	102 11
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	\$26,876 21		\$26,876 21

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$244,134.85; value of investments, \$300,000.

HOUSE OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, 841 Huntington Ave., Boston.
(Incorporated 1870.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Sister Mary of St. Anselm, *Secretary*; Sister Mary of St. Raymond, *Treasurer*.

The protection of girls in danger. The education, manual and mental, of unfortunate girls and women, without distinction of race or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 485, viz., 7 partly paying, 478 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$27,298 97	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,798 95
From beneficiaries . .	9,100 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,478 49
Subscriptions and donations	1,097 63	Provisions and supplies . .	35,609 21
Income from investments . .	945 07	Water and ice	1,104 00
Industries	71,196 87	Heat, light, and power . .	6,665 09
Board	914 63	Furnishings and incidental repairs	7,645 17
		Insurance	1,452 48
		Express and fares	393 12
		Engineer's supplies, sewing machines	1,845 43
		Stable, auto truck, laundry supplies	5,411 05
		Drugs, physician, dentist . .	2,089 22
		Total current expenses . .	\$73,492 21
		Cash on hand	37,060 96
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	\$110,553 17		\$110,553 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$405,000; value of investments, \$30,819.73.

HOWARD BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, 14 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1818.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Rev. Daniel W. Waldron, *President*; Dr. Winfred B. Bancroft, *Secretary*; John A. Bent, *Treasurer*.

Relief of the sick and destitute in the city of Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided during year, 782.

Dr.		Cr.	
Subscriptions and donations	\$70 00	Salaries and wages	\$600 00
Income from investments	12,803 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	128 34
From trust fund	10,700 00	Coal, groceries, etc.	17,960 32
		Premium charged off	743 50
		Miscellaneous	209 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$19,641 16
		Transferred to capital . . .	3,932 77
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	\$23,573 93		\$23,573 93

Value of investments, \$283,241.57; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$210,597.

HUMANE SOCIETY OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, 73 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1791.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

J. Collins Warren, M.D., *President*; Charles P. Curtis, *Recording Secretary*; Francis C. Welch, *Treasurer*; H. F. Sears, M.D., *Corresponding Secretary*.

Saving of life from shipwreck, and encouragement of persons in saving life by awarding medals, certificates, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 31.

Number aided during year: 11 vessels assisted; 42 medals and certificates awarded.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,110 90	Salaries and wages	\$2,610 30
Income from investments . .	11,615 38	Awards	872 75
From estate of Martha R. Hunt	27,199 09	Repairs and improvements . .	4,693 04
Sale of 50 shares, State national bank	10,000 00	Accrued interest	544 39
Principal of security matured	1,000 00	Purchase of new bonds	42,303 75
Sale of 100 rights, American Telephone and Telegraph Company	70 00	Miscellaneous	2,920 66
Miscellaneous	713 83		
		Total current expenses	\$53,944 89
		Cash on hand	764 31
	\$54,709 20		
			\$54,709 20

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,972.65; value of investments, \$260,430.26.

HUNT ASYLUM FOR DESTITUTE CHILDREN, 10 Eden St., Charlestown. (Incorporated 1834.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

James H. Whitman, *President*; Wm. P. Hart, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To aid or provide homes, temporary or permanent, for destitute children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$494 22	Salaries and wages	\$25 00
Subscriptions and donations	22 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	42 00
Annuities and bequests to income	3,781 07	Board of children	882 28
Income from investments	1,315 02	Supervision	102 13
		Clothing	115 07
		Total current expenses	\$1,166 48
		Income invested	4,208 42
		Cash on hand	237 41
	\$5,612 31		
			\$5,612 31

Value of investments, \$29,738.50.

IMMIGRANTS' HOME, 72 Marginal St., East Boston; Annex at 23 Wapping St., Charlestown. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending July 1, 1913.

Mrs. Emily H. Staples, *President*; Miss Mary W. Perry, *Secretary*; Miss Hattie B. Cooper, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Amanda C. Clark, *Superintendent*.

To furnish protection and necessary assistance to immigrants arriving in Boston on all lines of steamers, especially to women and children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 1,289, viz., 763 paying, 366 partly paying, 160 free. Helped on the piers, 2,450.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$2,572 29	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,887 90
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,869 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	104 45
Miscellaneous . . .	202 88	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,174 83
Total current receipts . . .	\$5,644 32	Rent . . .	228 00
For building . . .	16,061 20	Heat, light, and power . . .	549 12
Furnishings . . .	1,441 84	Incidental repairs . . .	49 37
		Insurance . . .	315 38
		Telephone . . .	87 22
		Travel . . .	46 00
		Legal service . . .	50 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	152 05
		Total current expenses . . .	\$5,644 32
		For building . . .	16,061 20
		Furniture . . .	1,441 84
	\$23,147 36		\$23,147 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,000.

INDUSTRIAL AID SOCIETY, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1847.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

William P. Fowler, *President*; Rev. Christopher R. Eliot, *Secretary*; William Atherton, *Treasurer*; Henry Peterson, *General Agent*.

To find employment for worthy applicants.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 2,297.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$876 35	Salaries and wages	\$3,474 96
Subscriptions and donations	1,014 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	88 50
Income from investments	3,040 25	Telephone	94 05
Payment on mortgage	100 00	Heat, light, and power	124 54
		Office expenses	167 12
		Appropriation from Joy fund	418 00
		Miscellaneous	15 00
		Total current expenses	\$4,382 17
		Cash on hand	648 43
	\$5,030 60		\$5,030 60

Value of investments, \$60,350.

**INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR CRIPPLED AND DEFORMED CHILDREN,
241 St. Botolph St., Boston. (Incorporated 1894.)**

Report for fifteen months ending June 30, 1913.

Francis J. Cotting, *President*; Thomas K. Cummins, *Secretary*;
E. Pierson Beebe, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary M. Perry, *Superintendent*.

To promote the education and special training of crippled and deformed children. Admission at five years; no restrictions as to sex, color, nationality, or creed; no mental defectives.

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year, 150.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,025 78	Salaries and wages	\$20,700 57
Subscriptions and donations	25,047 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies	25 28
Bequests to income	6,582 20	Provisions and supplies	6,606 80
Income from investments	14,775 22	Insurance	484 78
Industrial classes	1,650 00	Transportation	5,394 84
Entertainments	7,735 12	Telephone	251 09
Interest on deposits	238 62	Heat, light, and power	1,739 83
Sale of investments	9,972 05	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,331 31
		Annual report	221 61
		Advertising	276 48
		Relief committee	75 00
		Auditing, etc.	150 00
		Rent of safe (two years)	60 00
		Miscellaneous	209 47
		Total current expenses	\$40,527 11
		Income invested	14,067 50
		Transferred to capital	11,779 71
		Cash on hand	6,652 55
	\$73,026 87		\$73,026 87

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$193,800; value of investments, \$290,000.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, 232 Centre St., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1855.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Miss Eleanor S. Parker, *President*; Miss Mary G. Stone, *Secretary*; Robert S. Sturgis, *Treasurer*; Mrs. B. A. Capron, *Matron*.

Training school and home for girls of good character, between ten and fifteen years of age, without restriction as to color, nationality, religion, or residence.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 33, viz., 18 partly paying, 15 free; outside institution, 6, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$515 27	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,089 00
From beneficiaries . . .	510 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	49 02
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,089 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,140 95
Income from investments . . .	5,664 82	Laundry and cleaning . . .	384 43
Miscellaneous	134 54	Light and telephone . . .	121 33
		Furnishings, clothing, and incidental repairs . . .	909 55
		Traveling expenses, matron, and agent	223 81
		Physician, dentist, and chemist	166 33
		Garden, painting	307 34
		Insurance	83 80
		Miscellaneous	261 55
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,742 11
		Income invested	926 05
		Cash on hand	245 97
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	\$8,914 13		\$8,914 13

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$19,400; value of investments, \$119,730.20.

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, 37 Blossom St., Boston. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Clarence John Blake, M.D., *President*; Henry W. Palmer, *Secretary*; Nelson S. Bartlett, *Treasurer*; Miss Margaret Farquhar, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

The care of sick infants. The training (by a postgraduate course) of nurses, and a course of instruction for nursery maids.

Number of paid officers or employees, 26.

Number aided during year in institution, 295, viz., 7 paying, 114 partly paying, 174 free; out-patient calls, 12,673.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,354 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$7,122 74
From beneficiaries . . .	1,765 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	534 09
Subscriptions and donations . . .	4,602 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,947 86
Income from investments . . .	4,268 32	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,145 71
Seabury Pl. rents	404 57	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,645 47
Entertainment	12 50	Drugs	621 83
Nursery maids' wages and fees	492 00	Telephone	170 36
Total current receipts . . .	\$13,898 39	Insurance	92 00
Sale of securities	5,864 12	Repairs, taxes, etc., on Seabury Pl. houses . . .	333 32
		Miscellaneous	229 81
		Total current expenses . . .	\$15,843 19
		Investments	2,312 00
		Cash on hand	1,607 32
	\$19,762 51		\$19,762 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$22,900; value of investments, \$100,840. Present value of new building under construction, \$145,000.

INSTITUTION OF THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR, 424 Dudley St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1872.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Josephine Lechène, *President* and Sister Superior; Rosanna White, *Secretary*; Margaret Gillin, *Treasurer*.

Home for the care of destitute men and women of good moral character, without distinction of creed and nationality, at least sixty years of age.

Number aided during year, 262.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,200 03	Provisions and supplies . . .	\$10,566 54
Subscriptions and donations . . .	7,096 97	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,573 46
Bequests to income	5,699 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	690 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$12,830 00
		Cash on hand	2,166 00
	\$14,996 00		\$14,996 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$104,100.

INSTRUCTIVE DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION, 561 Massachusetts Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Mrs. Ernest Amory Codman, *President*; Miss Ellen Hale, *Secretary*; Mr. Ingersoll Bowditch, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary Beard, *Director*.

Caring for the sick poor in their homes and giving instruction in nursing.

Number of paid officers or employees, 55.

Number aided during year, 10,784.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$406 78	Salaries and wages . . .	\$42,996 40
From beneficiaries . . .	16,581 33	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,453 83
Subscriptions and donations . . .	28,877 52	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,694 20
Income from investments . . .	7,812 85	Rent . . .	173 25
Miscellaneous . . .	366 38	Heat, light, and power . . .	559 06
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	493 44
		Uniforms and supplies for nurses . . .	1,718 86
		Paid on account loan from capital . . .	1,187 58
		Accrued interest on bonds . . .	130 66
		Miscellaneous . . .	2,131 83
		Total current expenses . . .	\$53,539 11
		Cash on hand . . .	505 75
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	\$54,044 86		\$54,044 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,917.80; value of investments, \$169,406.75.

JAMAICA PLAIN DISPENSARY, Municipal Building, South St., Jamaica Plain. (Incorporated 1882.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Charles F. Dole, *President*; Edward W. Brewer, *Secretary*; Ingersoll Bowditch, *Treasurer*.

To provide medical attendance and medicines for the sick and needy poor within the limits of former Ward 23.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 241.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$589 32	Salaries and wages . . .	\$250 00
Income from investments . . .	1,086 61	Furnishings for office . . .	121 83
		Care of patients . . .	182 61
		Miscellaneous . . .	34 64
		Total current expenses . . .	\$589 08
		Income invested . . .	496 59
		Cash on hand . . .	590 26
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	\$1,675 93		\$1,675 93

Value of investments, \$20,785.18.

JAMAICA PLAIN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Municipal Building, Jamaica Plain. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Orville R. Chadwell, *President*; Caroline E. Chickering, *Secretary*; E. W. Clark, *Treasurer*.

To relieve temporary distress and befriend the needy, without regard to age, sex, color, creed, or nationality, in the Jamaica Plain district.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 122.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$508 15	Salaries and wages	\$650 54
Subscriptions and donations	1,551 70	Printing; postage, and office supplies	139 06
Income from investments	370 45	Provisions and supplies	1,058 37
		Rent	10 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	40 65
		Miscellaneous	255 79
		Total current expenses	\$2,154 41
		Cash on hand	275 89
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	\$2,430 30		\$2,430 30

Value of investments, \$8,363.25.

JAMAICA PLAIN NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 23 Carolina Ave., Jamaica Plain. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Miss Cornelia Bowditch, *President*; Mrs. Charles S. Penhallow, *Secretary*; Robert B. Stone, *Treasurer*; Miss Ella B. Westcott, *Head Worker*.

A neighborhood center; to promote civic betterment and maintain industrial classes and clubs for boys, girls, and adults, and a playground during the summer.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number of persons registered in classes, about 450.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$33 50	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,770 80
From beneficiaries . . .	156 38	Printing, postage, and office supplies	118 21
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,456 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	283 55
Income from investments . . .	97 48	Rent of flat and expenses of maintenance of same . . .	232 77
From fairs and entertainments	1,570 84	Heat, light, power, and labor for same	305 11
Special contributions for "flat"	214 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	485 81
Total current receipts . .	\$3,538 70	Garden work, etc., in summer	164 32
Drawn from invested funds . .	98 23	Christmas entertainment . . .	22 05
		Furnishings for flat	98 23
		Miscellaneous	133 78
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,614 63
		Cash on hand	22 30
	<hr/> \$3,636 93		<hr/> \$3,636 93

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,332.88; value of investments, \$2,583.77.

JEWISH ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION, Boston. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending June 26, 1913.

Dora L. Lourie, *President*; Nettie Mendelsohn, *Secretary*; Minnie D. Mazur, *Treasurer*.

To aid needy Jewish consumptives through the Mt. Sinai Hospital.

Number aided during year, 613.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$443 74	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$41 48
Subscriptions and donations . . .	91 00	Rent	38 00
From entertainments	442 59	Donations to Mt. Sinai Hospital for supplies to sick . . .	700 00
Interest	8 49	Total current expenses . .	\$779 48
		Cash on hand	206 34
	<hr/> \$985 82		<hr/> \$985 82

JOHN BOYLSTON'S CHARITABLE DONATIONS FOR THE BENEFIT AND SUPPORT OF AGED POOR PERSONS AND OF ORPHANS AND DESERTED CHILDREN, TRUSTEES OF, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1863.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

William P. Fowler, *Chairman* and *Treasurer pro tem.*; Benjamin Pettee, *Secretary*.

Aid of persons over fifty years of age who have seen better days,

and support of orphans and deserted children until fourteen years of age; settlement in Boston required.

Number aided during year, 34.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,435 58	Pensions to four adults . .	\$250 00
Income from investments . .	8,210 14	Board of thirty children . .	5,529 72
Miscellaneous	55 69		
		Total current expenses . .	\$5,779 72
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	3,921 69
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	\$10,701 41		\$10,701 41

Value of investments, \$196,010.

**JOHN HOWARD INDUSTRIAL HOME, 560 Massachusetts Ave., Boston.
(Incorporated 1896.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Howard N. Brown, *President*; Howard W. Brown, *Secretary*; Redington Fiske, *Treasurer*; Albert Arnold, *Superintendent*.

Aiding and giving a temporary home to discharged prisoners and others.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year in institution, 621, all free; outside institution, 736, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,040 00	Salaries and wages	\$6,533 33
Subscriptions and donations . .	8,075 76	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,145 40
Annuities and bequests to income	5,300 00	Provisions and supplies . .	3,692 51
Income from investments . .	461 00	Heat, light, and power . .	627 78
Wood yard receipts	18,879 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	264 34
Miscellaneous	48 05	Stable and horses (wood yard)	1,487 08
		Wood	9,305 30
		Paid balance on mortgage . .	1,500 00
		Miscellaneous	963 81
		Total current expenses . .	\$26,519 55
		Income invested	7,920 50
		Cash on hand	2,363 76
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	\$36,803 81		\$36,803 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,750; value of investments, \$14,383.50.

**LADIES' HELPING HAND AUXILIARY TO THE HOME FOR DESTITUTE
JEWISH CHILDREN, Boston. (Incorporated 1908.)**

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Mrs. Samuel Goodman, *President*; Miss Henrietta Stone, *Secretary*; Mrs. George Wyner, *Treasurer*.

To make necessary improvements in the Home for Jewish Children; to work for the comfort and welfare of the children of the Home so that they may be self-supporting when they leave the Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Employs a collector on commission.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$846 58	Salaries and wages	\$158 61
Subscriptions and donations	282 55	Printing, postage, and office supplies	198 85
Interest	13 18	Outing	35 80
Entertainments, etc. . . .	834 19	Commission	234 77
Dues	1,714 95	Manual training, musical instruction, etc. . . .	329 23
		Furnishings sewing room	209 91
		Dental room and hospital	396 59
		Miscellaneous	35 78
		Total current expenses	\$1,599 54
		Cash on hand	2,091 91
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	\$3,691 45		\$3,691 45

LADIES' LYCEUM UNION, 514 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Margaret S. Butler, *President*; Mrs. Lizzie Howard, *Secretary*; Mrs. Abbie F. Thompson, *Treasurer*.

To promote Spiritualism and to aid needy and worthy persons with food, clothing, and money.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of families aided, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$244 91	Salaries and wages	\$118 30
Subscriptions and donations	120 35	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2 64
Suppers and entertainments	548 10	Provisions and supplies	329 04
Sales	72 16	Rent	222 00
Interest	18 52	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4 00
		Flowers sent to sick	9 80
		Money donations	48 35
		Miscellaneous	4 06
		Total current expenses	\$738 19
		Cash on hand	265 85
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	\$1,004 04		\$1,004 04

LADIES' UNITY CLUB, 64 Bartlett St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Carolyn E. Bell, *President*; Mrs. Ina F. Main, *Secretary*; Miss Carrie J. Littlefield, *Treasurer*; Mrs. A. M. Wadman, *Matron*.

Home for refined American Protestant women not less than sixty-five years of age. Admission fee not less than \$500.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$593 59	Salaries and wages	\$818 11
From beneficiaries	500 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	51 20
Subscriptions and donations	1,967 07	Provisions and supplies	700 22
Income from investments	212 46	Heat, light, and power	270 29
Miscellaneous	34 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs	738 22
		Insurance	17 53
		Drugs, nurse, undertaker	112 73
		Miscellaneous	83 20
		Total current expenses	\$2,793 50
		Cash on hand	516 00
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	\$3,307 50		\$3,307 50

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; value of investments, \$6,157.39.

LEND A HAND SOCIETY, 101 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Rev. Christopher R. Eliot, *President*; Mrs. Bernard Whitman, *Secretary*; Benjamin H. Jones, *Treasurer*; Miss Annie F. Brown, *Superintendent*.

Union of Lend a Hand clubs to meet emergencies, assist in charitable work, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Balance of income, April 30, 1911	\$38 58	Salaries	\$1,066 34
Subscriptions and donations	4,544 97	Printing, moving, etc.	465 70
Income from investments	1,813 34	Lend a Hand Book Mission	1,698 99
Donations for special cases	1,409 89	Outings	259 16
Miscellaneous	61 15	Rent	400 00
		Special cases	1,970 30
		Donations	601 19
		Miscellaneous	65 08
		Total current expenses	\$6,526 76
		Cash on hand	1,341 17
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	\$7,867 93		\$7,867 93

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$50,-436.44.

THE LIFE LINE LEAGUE, 10 Common St., Boston. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending April 14, 1913.

Stella Archer Simson, *President* and *Superintendent*; Susan Prouty, *Secretary*; Mary A. Dill, *Treasurer*.

To engage in rescue work for the betterment of girls and others.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations .	\$3 25	Provisions and supplies .	\$15 51
Expenses donated by president	217 58	Rent	128 00
Miscellaneous	3 00	Heat, light, and power .	59 22
		Miscellaneous	14 85
		Total current expenses .	\$217 58
		Cash on hand	6 25
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	\$223 83		\$223 83

LINCOLN HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 68 and 80 Emerald St., Boston. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Miss Elizabeth Tilton, *President*; Mr. Harry R. Lyon, *Secretary*; Mr. B. Preston Clark, *Treasurer*; Mr. John D. Adams, *Director in Charge*.

To maintain houses in Boston containing reading rooms, gymnasiums, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year, 950.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,407 37	Salaries and wages . . .	\$11,140 99
From beneficiaries . . .	1,119 53	Provisions and supplies .	6,017 07
Subscriptions and donations	15,612 48	Furnishings and incidental	
Income from investments .	593 52	repairs	1,008 84
		Total current expenses .	\$18,166 90
		Cash on hand	2,566 00
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	\$20,732 90		\$20,732 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$102,000; value of investments, \$6,070.63.

THE LUTHERAN IMMIGRANT BOARD, 11 Henry St., East Boston. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Rev. Frans A. Engstrand, *President*; Rev. A. C. H. Helander, *Secretary*; Rev. J. A. Eckstrom, *Treasurer*; Peter Swenson, *Superintendent*.

To protect and aid immigrants and seamen by securing for them suitable lodging and proper food, and to minister to their spiritual wants.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year 1,192, viz., 646 paying, 192 partly paying, 354 free.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,292 88
From beneficiaries . . .	5,656 24
Donations . . .	5,048 11
From the conferences of the Augustana Synod . . .	1,248 88
Miscellaneous . . .	62 40
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	\$13,308 51

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,521 00
Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	53 00
Provisions and supplies . . .	3,689 43
Heat, light, and power . . .	463 97
Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	422 79
Paid loan . . .	2,000 00
Water tax . . .	73 80
Traveling expenses . . .	91 43
Interest . . .	64 16
Miscellaneous . . .	291 24
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Total current expenses . . .	\$8,670 82
Cash on hand . . .	4,637 69
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	\$13,308 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$20,324.87.

MASONIC EDUCATION AND CHARITY TRUST, Masonic Temple, Boston.
(Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 14, 1912.

Everett C. Benton, *President*; George R. Rhodes, *Secretary*; Edwin B. Holmes, *Treasurer*.

Incorporated to hold charity funds. Maintains home for Masons in Charlton, Mass.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,469 76
Income from investments . . .	23,395 17
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	\$24,864 93

<i>Cr.</i>	
Clerical work on records . . .	\$50 00
Rent of safe . . .	55 00
Collection of coupons . . .	53
Premium on bonds . . .	1,092 50
Charity . . .	11,355 13
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Total current expenses . . .	\$12,553 16
Income invested . . .	11,392 49
Cash on hand . . .	919 28
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	\$24,864 93

Value of investments, \$539,451.

**MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION FOR PROMOTING THE INTERESTS
OF THE ADULT BLIND, 264 Boylston St., Boston. (Incorporated
1903.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Edward Cummings, *President*; Mr. Edward E. Allen, *Secretary*; Mrs. Mary Morton Kehew, *Treasurer*.

To promote the interests of the blind: (1) through the work for prevention of blindness; (2) through loan and aid to blind individuals; (3) through contributions towards the maintenance of the

James A. Woolson House; (4) by contributions to the support of the quarterly magazine "Outlook for the Blind."

Number aided during year through Woolson House, 61; through loan and aid committee, 55.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,564 19	Printing	\$143 10
Subscriptions and donations	6,514 50	Maintenance of Woolson House	3,653 39
Outlook receipts	2,420 29	Outlook, publication	3,220 29
Refunds to loan and aid	94 53	Loan and aid	1,051 23
Interest	101 91	Prevention of blindness	375 00
		Total current expenses	\$8,443 01
		Cash on hand	3,252 41
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	\$11,695 42		\$11,695 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,900.

MASSACHUSETTS BABIES' HOSPITAL, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1867.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Edward R. Warren, *President*; Dudley L. Pickman, Jr., *Secretary*; Walter Hunnewell, Jr., *Treasurer*; Alice M. Cheney, *General Secretary*.

Assisting and providing for infants medically and socially.

Number of paid officers or employees, 44.

Number aided during year in institution, 345, viz., 13 paying, 291 partly paying, 98 free; outside institution, 272, viz., 12 paying, 194 partly paying, 66 free; number of families aided, 530.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,471 63	Salaries and wages	\$15,815 24
Board from parents	10,938 06	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,056 58
Subscriptions and donations	11,825 14	Provisions and supplies	6,632 48
Annuities and bequests to income	2,500 00	Rent	530 86
Income from investments	7,471 03	Heat, light, and power	2,448 49
Nurse maids in training school	390 19	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,072 70
Directory for wet nurses	745 29	Board of babies	9,899 21
Sale of milk, etc. . . .	180 22	Clothing	1,367 14
Entertainments, fairs, etc. . . .	4,488 76	Medicines and drugs	1,407 06
Miscellaneous	771 58	Laundry	1,651 02
		Miscellaneous	3,029 45
Total current receipts	\$46,781 90	Total current expenses	\$46,910 23
Sale of securities	2,000 00	Securities bought	4,180 87
Loans to income	5,000 00	Cash on hand	2,690 80
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	\$53,781 90		\$53,781 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,376.22; value of investments, \$137,460.33.

**MASSACHUSETTS BAPTIST CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 15 Ashburton
Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1821.)**

Report for year ending October 10, 1913.

Rev. Millard F. Johnson, *President*; Rev. Charles L. Page, *Secretary*; John F. Barnes, *Treasurer*.

To aid widows and children of deceased Baptist ministers of Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 57.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,096 70	Salaries and wages	\$375 00
Subscriptions and donations	665 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies	308 31
Income from investments	10,459 65	To beneficiaries	10,936 75
Investments matured	6,339 63		
		Total current expenses	\$11,620 06
		Income invested	7,591 89
		Cash on hand	6,350 00
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	\$25,561 95		\$25,561 95

Value of investments, \$239,913.49.

**MASSACHUSETTS BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY, 501 Tremont
Temple, Boston. (Incorporated 1807.)**

Report for year ending October 18, 1913.

Rev. Franklin Hutchinson,¹ *President*; Rev. Hugh A. Heath,¹ *Secretary*; Edward E. Stevens,¹ *Treasurer*.

To assist small and needy churches and to do missionary work in the name of the Baptist Church within Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,259 33	Salaries and wages	\$3,560 20
Subscriptions and donations	24,999 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,363 87
Income from investments	28,286 16	Rent	692 25
		To churches and mission- aries	43,685 42
		Total current expenses	\$56,811 06
		Cash on hand	734 24
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	\$57,545 30		\$57,545 30

Value of investments, \$578,764.06.

¹ Elected November 1, 1913.

MASSACHUSETTS CHARITABLE EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY, 233 Charles St., corner Fruit St., Boston. (Incorporated 1826.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

George B. Shattuck, *President*; Robert C. Homans, *Secretary*; Henry Parkman, *Treasurer*; Farrar C. Cobb, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Treatment of diseases of the eye and ear of poor persons without regard to age, sex, color, nationality, or creed; with few exceptions, only residents of Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 125.

Number aided during year in institution, 3,497, viz., 402 paying, 1,153 partly paying, 1,942 free; outside institution, 30,012, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$29,781 96	Salaries and wages . . .	\$50,013 95
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,110 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	2,040 22
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,700 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	33,170 53
Income from investments . . .	27,793 00	Optical and surgical instruments . . .	1,361 72
State appropriations . . .	45,000 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	11,082 84
Special funds . . .	1,560 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	6,379 56
Miscellaneous . . .	115 92	Social service work . . .	4,570 06
Total current receipts . . .	\$108,060 88	X-ray and surgical appliances . . .	8,835 51
Deficit . . .	14,071 66	Aural surgeon's appliances . . .	420 74
		Free glasses for State wards . . .	517 35
		Miscellaneous . . .	3,740 06
	\$122,132 54		\$122,132 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$563,341.62; value of investments, \$574,588.47.

MASSACHUSETTS CHARITABLE FIRE SOCIETY, 85 Milk St., Boston. (Incorporated 1794.)

* Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Alfred E. Wellington, *President*; Henry H. Sprague, *Secretary*; James R. Hooper, *Treasurer*.

Relief of suffering by fire, and for other charitable purposes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year: 9 individuals and 20 charitable institutions.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,853 10	Salaries and wages . .	\$250 00
Income from investments .	2,300 59	Payments to charitable societies . . .	1,250 00
Bequest . . .	400 00	Tools to mechanics . .	97 00
Bonds redeemed at par .	10,000 00	Aid to sufferers by fire .	60 13
		Miscellaneous . . .	235 60
		Total current expenses .	\$1,892 73
		Purchase of bonds . .	11,891 17
		Cash on hand . . .	1,769 79
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	\$15,553 69		\$15,553 69

Value of investments, \$57,897.

MASSACHUSETTS CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 1023 Old South Building, Boston. (Incorporated 1794.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

John A. Hunneman, *President*; Frederick A. Wellington, *Secretary*; G. Glover Crocker, Jr., *Treasurer*.

The relief of any member of the society and after his decease the relief of his widow and children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$890 67	Salaries and wages . .	\$260 00
Income from investments .	6,918 06	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	8 15
		Donations . . .	3,730 00
		One hundred and fiftieth anniversary and miscellaneous . . .	764 20
		Total current expenses .	\$4,762 35
		Income invested . .	729 30
		Cash on hand . . .	2,317 08
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	\$7,808 73		\$7,808 73

Value of investments, \$152,128.71.

MASSACHUSETTS CONGREGATIONAL CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 50 Congress St., Boston. (Incorporated 1736.)

Report for year ending May 14, 1913.

Winslow Warren, *President*; Rev. Edward Hale, *Secretary*; Grenville H. Norcross, *Treasurer*.

To aid widows and daughters of deceased Congregational (Unitarian and Trinitarian) ministers who have had settlements in Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 54.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$14,123 07	Salaries and wages . .	\$300 00
Income from investments .	14,372 33	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1 59
Total current receipts .	\$28,495 40	Rent of safe	15 00
Transferred to income .	323 75	To beneficiaries . . .	13,648 08
		Total current expenses .	\$13,964 67
		Cash on hand	14,854 48
	<hr/> \$28,819 15		<hr/> \$28,819 15

Value of investments, \$315,000.

THE MASSACHUSETTS DIVISION OF THE INTERNATIONAL SUNSHINE SOCIETY, 29 Temple Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Mrs. Clara J. Kimball, *President*; Ellen C. Shepard, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To incite its members to a performance of kind and helpful deeds, and thus to bring the sunshine of happiness into the greatest possible number of hearts.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations .	\$107 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$18 41
Miscellaneous	22 81	Miscellaneous	111 85
	<hr/> \$130 26		<hr/> \$130 26

MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL HOSPITAL, Blossom St., Boston; McLean Hospital and Convalescent Hospital, Belmont. (Incorporated 1811.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Henry P. Walcott, M.D., *President*; John A. Blanchard, *Secretary*; Charles H. W. Foster, *Treasurer*; Frederick A. Washburn, M.D., *Administrator*.

Relief of the sick and injured (except contagious and chronic cases); and at Belmont, the McLean Hospital for the care of the insane; and Convalescent Hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 850.

Number aided during year in institution, 7,555, viz., 3,051 paying, 718 partly paying, 3,786 free; visits to out-patient department, 136,095.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$12,327 21	Administration expenses .	\$51,889 85
From beneficiaries . . .	524,460 93	Professional care of patients . . .	184,493 81
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,478 94	Department expenses . . .	310,836 00
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,000 00	House and property expenses . . .	189,689 86
Income from investments . . .	183,425 57	Expenses from special funds . . .	13,146 50
Investments to land buildings . . .	44,713 58	Interest on notes payable . . .	14,685 91
General fund . . .	90,937 31	Annuitants . . .	4,408 40
Miscellaneous . . .	89 68	Miscellaneous . . .	76,614 08
		Total current expenses .	\$845,764 41
		Cash on hand . . .	13,669 01
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	\$859,433 42		\$859,433 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,022,311.43; value of investments, \$3,606,710.17.

MASSACHUSETTS HOME FOR INTEMPERATE WOMEN, corner Binney and Smyrna Sts., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Rev. James Reed, *President*; Mrs. W. W. Boyden, *Secretary*; Mrs. W. W. Potter, *Treasurer*; Mrs. M. P. Jones, *Superintendent*.

The care and reformation of intemperate women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 126, viz., 12 paying, 114 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,778 09	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,647 48
From beneficiaries . . .	612 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	67 75
Subscriptions and donations income . . .	3,292 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,884 64
Income from investments . . .	63 24	Ice . . .	63 03
From laundry . . .	443 61	Interest on mortgage . . .	495 00
Sale of horse . . .	12,150 01	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,339 06
Merchandise . . .	75 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	486 09
Express company . . .	34 26	New steam heating plant . . .	1,549 00
Milk . . .	31 65	Horse, horseshoeing, grain, etc. . .	714 94
Miscellaneous . . .	10 71	Laundry supplies and water tax . . .	759 04
	46 25	Treasurer, physician, and insurance . . .	451 89
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,105 16
		Total current expenses .	\$17,563 08
		Cash on hand . . .	974 44
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	\$18,537 52		\$18,537 52

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$48,753.57; amount of mortgage on same, \$11,000; value of investments, \$63,050.17.

MASSACHUSETTS HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY, 14 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1807.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Samuel Usher, *President*; Frederick E. Emrich, D.D., *Secretary*;
John J. Walker, *Treasurer*.

To assist small churches in maintaining worship, and to carry on missionary work among foreign-speaking people. Maintains House of Good Will, 177 Webster St., East Boston. Through the Congregational Home Missionary Society, it shares in similar work throughout the United States.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$4,069 89	Salaries and wages . .	\$6,710 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	52,947 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,397 27
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	33,943 66	Expenses, estates . .	301 25
Income from investments . .	15,395 78	Rent, heat, and light . .	786 00
For investment . . .	2,000 00	Travel . . .	737 72
Miscellaneous . . .	438 62	Annuity allowances . .	4,484 50
		Aid to churches (native) .	33,474 91
		Aid to churches (foreign)	27,866 95
		To Congregational Home Missionary Society outside of State . .	6,933 58
		Miscellaneous . . .	158 69
		Total current expenses .	\$82,850 87
		Income invested . . .	23,618 73
		Cash on hand . . .	2,325 50
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	\$108,795 10		\$108,795 10

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$18,802.50; value of investments, \$229,564.50; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$5,000.

MASSACHUSETTS HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL, 82 East Concord St., Boston, and Allston St., Brighton. (Incorporated 1855.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edward H. Mason, *President*; Talbot Aldrich, *Secretary*; Arthur F. Estabrook, *Treasurer*; William O. Mann, M.D., *Superintendent*.

For the acute sick, without regard to residence.

Number of paid officers or employees, 227.

Number aided during year in institution, 6,277, viz., 1,510 paying, 2,166 partly paying, 2,601 free; outside institution, 2,503, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$137,906 38
Subscriptions and donations . . .	710 00
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	100 00
Income from investments . . .	55,435 05
Income not available for general purposes (Clark fund) . . .	1,460 35
Other income not available for general purposes . . .	1,248 24
Miscellaneous . . .	586 11
Total current receipts . . .	\$197,446 13
Loans to income . . .	8,434 70
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	\$205,880 83

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages . . .	\$70,342 82
Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	2,645 80
Provisions and supplies . . .	92,527 92
Rent . . .	1,380 00
Heat, light, and power . . .	15,048 93
Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	15,052 20
Insurance . . .	2,923 74
General expenses . . .	3,250 83
Total current expenses . . .	\$203,172 24
Cash on hand . . .	2,708 59
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	\$205,880 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$406,876.44; value of investments, \$1,343,905.17.

MASSACHUSETTS LYING-IN HOSPITAL, 158 West Springfield St., Boston. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Eugene Shurtleff, M.D., *President*; Albert Storer, *Secretary*; Frank L. Burt, M.D., *Superintendent* and *Acting Treasurer*.

To establish and maintain a lying-in hospital for the benefit of the worthy poor.

Not yet in operation.

MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1871.)

Report for year ending October 17, 1913.

Dr. George P. Shattuck, *President*; Dr. Robert M. Green, *Secretary*; Dr. William L. Richardson, *Treasurer*.

Pecuniary assistance to members of the medical profession, their widows and children.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,691 27
Subscriptions and donations . . .	442 00
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,600 00
Income from investments . . .	2,803 53
Boston & Albany Railroad bond redeemed . . .	1,000 00
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	\$8,536 80

<i>Cr.</i>	
Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$46 15
Annuities and charity . . .	4,652 00
Miscellaneous . . .	50 00
Total current expenses . . .	\$4,748 15
Income invested . . .	964 17
Cash on hand . . .	2,824 48
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	\$8,536 80

Value of investments, \$64,800.

**MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR AIDING DISCHARGED CONVICTS,
24 State House, Boston. (Incorporated 1867.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Alpine McLean,¹ *President*; Charles DeNormandie, *Secretary*;
Walter B. Waterman, *Treasurer*; George E. Cornwall, *General Agent*.

To advise discharged prisoners, furnish them with aid in the nature of board, clothing, tools, and transportation, and assist them to procure employment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 193, 291 of which were meals and lodgings.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$803 22	Salaries and wages	\$300 00
Subscriptions and donations	839 08	Printing, postage, and office supplies	22 60
Income from investments	3,623 70	Aiding discharged prisoners	1,157 90
Total current receipts	\$5,266 00	Miscellaneous	221 20
Investments matured or changed	6,150 83	Total current expenses	\$2,201 70
		Invested	8,404 82
		Cash on hand	810 31
	\$11,416 83		\$11,416 82

Value of investments, \$67,205.60.

**MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY
TO ANIMALS, 45 Milk St., Boston. (Incorporated 1868.)**

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Dr. Francis H. Rowley, *President*; Guy Richardson, *Secretary*;
Hon. Henry B. Hill, *Treasurer*.

To prevent cruelty to animals by advice and humane education of the ignorant, warning of the thoughtless, and prosecution when other means fail.

Number of paid officers or employees, 38.

Employs a collector on commission.

¹ Charles Liffler now president.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$34,285 75
Subscriptions and donations	18,234 34
Bequests	147,638 55
Income from investments	21,744 28
Publications	12,285 85
Fines and witness fees	3,148 70
Ambulance and horses	667 50
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	\$238,004 97

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages	\$37,903 10
Publication, telephone, printing, postage, and office supplies	27,495 21
Rent	3,599 96
Traveling expenses, ambulance, feeding, watering, and relief of animals	17,016 10
Architect's expenses (new building)	2,468 70
Loan and interest	20,362 77
Angell Memorial fountain	2,824 07
Miscellaneous	932 00
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Total current expenses	\$112,601 91
Income invested in building fund	96,143 91
Cash on hand	29,259 15
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	\$238,004 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,000; value of investments, \$517,075.22.

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN, 43 Mt. Vernon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1878.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Grafton D. Cushing, *President*; C. C. Carstens, *Secretary*; John H. Sturgis, *Treasurer*; Edith M. Hotchkiss, *Matron*.

To provide effective means for the prevention of cruelty to children throughout the Commonwealth.

Number of paid officers or employees, 63.

Applications made for 12,346 children (5,203 families represented); 9,721 children dealt with without court action (3,814 families represented); 1,389 court cases, involving 2,625 children; 159 children in temporary home during year.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$26,231 70
Annuities and bequests to income	18,326 16
Income from investments	15,819 67
Witness fees	829 10
Heating adjoining building	500 00
Profit on sale of bonds	340 00
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Total current income	\$62,046 63
Loans to income	19,840 23
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	\$81,886 86

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages	\$54,726 61
Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,850 00
Office and traveling expenses	23,310 25
Interest on mortgage	1,000 00
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	\$81,886 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$25,000; value of investments, \$310,363.05.

MASSACHUSETTS SOCIETY FOR THE UNIVERSITY EDUCATION OF WOMEN, Boston. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. George H. Earl, *President*; Mrs. Benjamin C. Lane, *Secretary*; Miss Grace B. Day, *Treasurer*.

To aid women to complete their university education, affording them either scholarships or loans after their freshman year.

Number aided during year, 35.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$366 75	Clerical work	\$2 00
From beneficiaries . . .	815 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	122 94
Subscriptions and donations . . .	43 00	Public meetings	15 00
Membership fees	308 00	Rent of safety deposit box . . .	10 00
Income from investments . . .	848 13	Loan library	20 00
		Librarian's salary	75 00
		Scholarships	650 00
		Loans and gifts to beneficiaries	805 00
		Miscellaneous	4 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,703 94
		Income invested	140 27
		Cash on hand	536 67
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	\$2,380 88		\$2,380 88

Value of investments, \$18,209.09.

MASSACHUSETTS WOMEN'S HOSPITAL, 53 Parker Hill Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Esther F. Boland, *President*; Mrs. A. L. Tallman, *Secretary*; Mrs. James A. Towle, *Treasurer*; Miss Caroline V. Broughton, *Matron*.

To maintain a hospital for the surgical treatment of abdominal diseases of women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 366, viz., 109 paying, 153 partly paying, 104 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,021 08	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,699 39
From beneficiaries . .	10,959 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	80 90
Subscriptions and donations	85 33	Provisions and supplies . .	4,837 24
Annuities and bequests to income	3,175 00	Heat, light, and power . .	1,473 87
Income from investments . .	1,631 31	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,845 29
Sewing circle	700 00	Water tax	23 70
		Telephone	162 06
		Hospital supplies	1,134 19
		Insurance	460 00
		White goods, linen, etc. . .	700 00
		Architect	275 00
		Miscellaneous	184 46
		Total current expenses . .	\$16,876 10
		Cash on hand	695 87
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	\$17,571 97		\$17,571 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$36,600; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,000; value of investments, \$46,742.80.

THE MAVERICK DISPENSARY OF EAST BOSTON, 18 Chelsea St., East Boston. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Edwin F. Fobes, *President*; Miss Olive N. Fobes, *Secretary*; John H. Townsend, *Treasurer*; Miss Jennie E. Lawton, *Social Worker*.

To furnish medical aid, advice, care, and assistance of any kind and medical supplies; by daily clinics and by district service both to relieve and to prevent disease among East Boston poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4, part time.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,886, viz., 1,820 partly paying, 66 free; outside institution, 25, 20 partly paying, 5 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$18 18	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,367 89
From beneficiaries . .	658 33	Printing, postage, and office supplies	108 27
Subscriptions and donations	2,373 01	Supplies	310 92
Subrentals	218 00	Rent	630 00
Sale of supplies	84 24	Heat and light	58 00
		Improvements and incidental repairs	760 61
		Laundry	49 39
		Telephone	39 59
		Miscellaneous	12 52
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,337 19
		Cash on hand	14 57
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	\$3,351 76		\$3,351 76

THE MERRIMAC STREET MISSION, 107 Staniford St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Edward I. Aldrich, *President*; George W. Pitts, *Secretary*; J. T. Mathes, *Treasurer*; J. A. Fritz, *Superintendent*.

Ministering to the spiritual and temporal needs of unfortunate men, women, and children by maintaining reading, recreation, lunch, and lodging rooms.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of lodgings, 2,149; meals furnished, 5,558.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 30	Salaries and wages	\$2,013 74
Subscriptions and donations	3,892 52	Printing, postage, and office supplies	243 53
Total current expenses	\$3,908 82	Provisions and supplies	230 90
Loan to income	215 00	Rent	888 25
		Heat, light, and power	190 99
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	79 46
		Loan to bank	148 55
		Loan to director	215 00
		Fresh-air outing for Sunday school	98 25
		Total current expenses	\$4,108 67
		Cash on hand	15 15
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	\$4,123 82		\$4,123 82

METROPOLITAN DENTAL HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, 36 Hull St., Boston. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending May, 1913.

Julius G. W. Werner, *President*; Georgina Crosby, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

The performance of acts of dental charity for the benefit of the worthy poor.

Number aided during year, 276, viz., 225 partly paying, 51 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$66 03	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$1 00
		Provisions and supplies	7 14
		Miscellaneous	1 15
		Total current expenses	\$9 29
		Cash on hand	56 74
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	\$66 03		\$66 03

MILK AND BABY HYGIENE ASSOCIATION, 26 Bennet St., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Edward R. Warren, *Chairman*, Board of Trustees; Michael M. Davis, Jr., *Secretary*; Arthur H. Brooks, *Treasurer*; George R. Bedinger, *Director*.

To improve the general milk supply, to encourage breast feeding, to provide milk properly modified for babies who cannot be nursed, to furnish advice and training in hygiene and the care of babies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

Number aided during year, 3,026, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,105 85	Salaries and wages . . .	\$13,461 40
Subscriptions and donations	17,099 04	Printing, postage, telephone, and office supplies . . .	2,676 27
Advertisement and sales	618 33	Rent	322 87
Note payable	1,000 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	252 76
Sales of milk	13,947 96	Car fare and express . . .	183 03
		Milk	13,985 82
		Notes payable repaid . . .	2,000 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$32,882 15
		Cash on hand	889 03
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	\$33,771 18		\$33,771 18

THE MORGAN MEMORIAL CO-OPERATIVE INDUSTRIES AND STORES, INC., 89 Shawmut Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Francis H. Slack, M.D., *President*; Kate F. Hobart, *Secretary*; F. C. Moore, *Treasurer*.

Educating and extending relief to poor and destitute persons; improving the dwelling places and living conditions of the poor; and giving religious instruction.

Number of paid officers or employees, 27.

Number aided during year, 1,420, viz., 773 partly paying, 102 free, 545 given legal advice.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,532 39	Salaries and wages . .	\$13,197 67
Subscriptions and donations	11,763 42	Labor and relief . . .	16,637 00
Donations for mortgages .	3,600 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,506 78
Elizabeth Emmons fund, M. E. Sunday school . .	3,000 00	Provisions and supplies .	5,179 90
Sales	39,457 44	Rent	1,680 00
Miscellaneous	3,243 01	Heat, light, and power .	297 29
		Machinery and fixtures .	1,189 74
		Improvements and repairs .	1,749 80
		Expense of departments .	11,145 10
		E. Emmons fund . . .	3,000 00
		Paid mortgages	3,600 00
		Miscellaneous	2,622 74
		Total current expenses .	\$61,806 02
		Cash on hand	2,790 24
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	\$64,596 26		\$64,596 26

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$39,293.67; amount of mortgage on same, \$9,150; value of investments, \$15,578.74.

THE MOUNT PLEASANT HOME, 59-85 Elm Hill Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Rev. Clarence A. Vincent, D.D., *President*; Rev. Clarence A. Young, *Secretary*; James A. Neal, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Lillian Maulsby, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for indigent aged persons of both sexes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 41.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,493 27	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,175 23
From beneficiaries . . .	14,275 87	Printing, postage, and office supplies	803 09
Subscriptions and donations	6,297 67	Provisions and supplies .	5,218 23
Bequests	432 00	Water	200 04
Income from investments .	4,107 84	Heat, light, and power .	1,532 79
Corporation dues	183 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,202 25
From fair	3,770 29	Physicians, nurses, and medicines	1,399 35
Easter sale	181 25	Interest	1,123 88
Garden party	59 25	Real estate expenses . .	4,341 71
Miscellaneous	10 57	Miscellaneous	1,033 99
Total current receipts .	\$34,811 01	Total current expenses .	\$21,030 56
Loans to income	3,155 58	Income invested	8,287 18
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	8,648 85
	\$37,966 59		<hr/>
			\$37,966 59

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$74,170.04; amount of mortgage on same, \$28,000; value of investments, \$78,259.12.

MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL SOCIETY OF BOSTON, MASS., 17 Staniford St., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Lehman Pickert, *President*; Philip Rubenstein, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Dr. Starr A. Moulton, *Superintendent*.

Affording medical and surgical aid and nursing to sick or disabled persons of any creed or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year in institution, 22,729, viz., 17,689 partly paying, 5,040 free; outside institution, 675, all free; number of families aided, 101.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$475 58	Salaries and wages	\$4,586 68
From beneficiaries	3,637 27	Printing, postage, and office supplies	196 32
Subscriptions and donations	6,957 59	Provisions and supplies	2,078 15
		Rent	960 00
		Heat, light, and power	311 42
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	19 45
		Telephone	241 68
		Laundry	193 49
		Water rates	38 00
		Tuberculosis	1,206 34
		Miscellaneous	380 37
		Total current expenses	\$10,211 90
		Cash on hand	858 54
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	\$11,070 44		\$11,070 44

NATIONAL CO-OPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL RELIEF ASSOCIATION, 89 Shawmut Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Frank C. Dunn, *President*; Francis H. Slack, *Secretary*; David Dunbar, *Treasurer*.

To superintend and encourage the establishment in various cities of branch industrial relief associations for the religious, educational, and industrial welfare of the poor.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2 36	Cash on hand	\$2 36
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	\$2 36		\$2 36

THE NEEDLEWOMAN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, 149 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1851.)

Report for year ending April 14, 1913.

Mrs. William M. Conant, *President*; Mrs. J. B. Tiernay, *Secretary*; Bernard C. Weld, *Treasurer*.

To give employment, with adequate compensation, to indigent needlewomen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 90.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,942 28	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,376 00
Subscriptions and donations	122 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	20 83
Annuities and bequests to income	1,700 00	Supplies	2,421 64
Income from investments . .	2,459 75	Rent	650 04
Sales of merchandise . .	3,237 05	Heat, light, and power . .	12 00
		Paid to sewing women . .	3,209 60
		Telephone	42 30
		Insurance	12 00
		Auditor	25 00
		Miscellaneous	71 55
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,840 96
		Cash on hand	1,620 12
	\$9,461 08		\$9,461 08

Value of investments, \$51,400.

NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST HOSPITAL, Parker Hill Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edward H. Haskell, *President*; J. L. Harbour, *Secretary*; Vernon A. Field, *Treasurer*; Emma A. Anderson, *Superintendent*.

Medical and surgical treatment of patients; gratuitous care given to the sick poor. No contagious, mental, or chronic cases are admitted. No restrictions as to age, sex, color, nationality, creed, or residence.

Number of paid officers or employees, 45.

Number aided during year, 700, viz., 329 paying, 282 partly paying, 89 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,649 77	Salaries and wages . .	\$8,784 79
From beneficiaries . .	27,815 29	Office supplies	408 50
Subscriptions and donations	2,856 55	Provisions and supplies . .	12,412 36
Annuities and bequests to income	5,000 00	Heat, light, power, laundry	2,886 01
Income from investments . .	384 45	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,573 33
Note discounted	3,000 00	Interest and insurance . .	627 59
Operating room fees; medical and surgical supplies	3,503 82	Training school expenses . .	487 75
Special service nurses . .	964 81	Note discounted	3,000 00
Miscellaneous	280 67	New bungalow and furnishings	13,350 76
		Miscellaneous	816 40
		Total current expenses . .	\$44,347 49
		Income invested	4,876 25
		Cash on hand	231 62
	\$49,455 36		\$49,455 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,000; value of investments, about \$12,000.

NEW ENGLAND DEACONESS ASSOCIATION, Home, 691 and 693 Massachusetts Ave., Boston; Hospital, 175 Bellevue St., Longwood; Fresh-air Home, Haverhill; Hospital, Concord; Home for the Aged, Concord; general office, 112 Water St., Boston. (Incorporated 1889 and 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Willard T. Perrin, *President*; Mrs. Emma H. Watkins, *Secretary*; C. H. J. Kimball, *Treasurer*; Theodore A. Hildreth, *Corresponding Secretary*.

Hospital service, district medical attendance and nursing, general philanthropic and relief work, fresh-air work and country rest home, training of deaconesses and social workers.

Number of paid officers or employees, 120.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,262, viz., 930 paying, 144 partly paying, 188 free; outside institution, 3,574, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$264 43	Salaries and wages . .	\$29,436 24
From beneficiaries . .	59,253 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,788 91
Subscriptions and donations . .	11,021 67	Provisions and supplies . .	20,243 56
Income from investments . .	1,530 51	Rent	773 96
Miscellaneous	167 73	Heat, light, and power . .	5,799 68
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,149 25
		Interest and insurance . .	3,360 19
		Miscellaneous	4,750 80
		Total current expenses . .	\$70,302 59
		Cash on hand	1,934 75
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	\$72,237 34		\$72,237 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$256,480.29; amount of mortgage on same, \$41,300; value of investments, \$123,923.20.

NEW ENGLAND EYE AND EAR HOSPITAL, 125 Pinckney St., Boston. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending October 7, 1913.

Frederick W. Fish, *President*; Mrs. A. M. McCormack, *Secretary*; Dr. Charles F. Stacey, *Treasurer*.

Treatment of poor and needy of New England without regard to age, sex, color, nationality, or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 1,033, viz., 8 partly paying, 1,025 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$6 47	Salaries and wages . . .	\$800 00
From beneficiaries . . .	12 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	440 00	Rent	900 00
Sale of medicine	1,680 00	Drugs and medicines . . .	411 50
		Miscellaneous	9 55
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,123 55
		Cash on hand	14 92
	<hr/> \$2,138 47		<hr/> \$2,138 47

NEW ENGLAND HOME FOR LITTLE WANDERERS, 202 West Newton St., Boston. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for eleven months ending March 31, 1913.

Arthur T. Johnson, *President*; Frederic D. Fuller, *Secretary*; Samuel D. Parker, *Treasurer*; Rev. Frederic H. Knight, *Superintendent*.

To care for homeless and destitute children from all parts of New England who are not mentally or physically defective, without regard to color, race, sex, or religion. Usually not received until able to walk nor after they are twelve years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 42.

Number aided during year in institution, 370, viz., 12 paying, 100 partly paying, 258 free; outside institution, 544, viz., 9 paying, 29 partly paying, 506 free; number of families aided, 278.

Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 544. Number of placing-out visitors, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$890 05	Salaries and wages . . .	\$19,874 99
From beneficiaries . . .	3,618 17	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,483 09
Subscriptions and donations . . .	12,738 83	Provisions and supplies . . .	15,166 43
Annuities and bequests to income	6,343 83	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,040 32
Income from investments . . .	27,864 11	Furnishings and incidental repairs	871 29
		Miscellaneous	3,627 63
		Total current expenses . . .	\$43,063 75
		Cash on hand	8,391 24
	<hr/> \$51,454 99		<hr/> \$51,454 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$144,000; value of investments, \$693,257.18.

NEW ENGLAND HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, Dimock St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1863.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Miss Helen F. Kimball, *President*; Mrs. Alice B. Crosby, *Secretary*; George A. Goddard, *Treasurer*; Stella M. Taylor, M.D., *Superintendent*.

To provide for women medical aid of competent physicians of their own sex. Has a training school.

Number of paid officers or employees, 95.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,255, viz., 772 paying, 119 partly paying, 364 free; outside institution, 3,294; and at dispensary, 13,631.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,517 08	Salaries and wages . . .	\$31,959 96
Subscriptions and donations	2,331 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,174 94
Income from investments	33,981 38	Provisions and supplies	28,420 76
On account of persons aided	31,868 05	Drugs and medicines	5,295 64
Dispensary receipts	4,368 59	Taxes, etc.	2,379 03
Bequests	79,453 09	Heat, light, and power	6,579 48
Miscellaneous	1,014 68	Repairs	7,700 33
		Dispensary expenses	7,373 83
		Miscellaneous	2,075 95
Total current receipts	\$154,534 46	Total current expenses	\$92,959 92
Sale of securities	81,426 82	Income invested	139,546 84
		Cash on hand	3,454 72
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	\$235,961 48		\$235,961 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$389,100; value of investments, \$752,701.93.

**NEW ENGLAND MORAL REFORM SOCIETY (Telitha Cumi Home),
215 Forest Hills St., Jamaica Plain. (Incorporated 1846.)**

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

Dr. Caroline E. Hastings, *President*; Mrs. Charles A. Proctor, *Secretary*; Mrs. Charles K. Cummings, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary H. Burgess, *Head Worker*.

To provide a home and hospital for unmarried girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

Number aided during year, 107, viz., 16 paying, 48 partly paying, 36 free, and 7 pending settlement; outside institution, 175.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$534 30	Salaries and wages	\$6,548 15
Subscriptions and donations	8,130 55	Printing, postage, and office supplies	360 26
Income from investments	1,084 44	Provisions and supplies	3,881 76
Annual sale, etc.	1,545 67	Water tax	18 20
Board and attendance	1,791 18	Heat, light, and power	1,302 99
Miscellaneous	47 87	Furnishings and incidental repairs	621 17
		Insurance	182 50
Total current receipts	\$13,134 01	Telephone	165 02
Loans to income	675 89	Traveling expenses, visitor	100 00
		Advertising	159 93
		Miscellaneous	47 73
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		Total current expenses	\$13,387 76
		Income invested	96 39
		Cash on hand	325 75
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	\$13,809 90		\$13,809 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$88,123.64; value of investments, \$30,364.67.

NEW ENGLAND PEABODY HOME FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN, Hale St., Hyde Park. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Herbert A. Joslin, *President*; Mrs. Albion S. Whitmore, *Secretary*; Mrs. Edward B. Kellogg, *Treasurer*; Clara M. Thurston, *Superintendent*.

The permanent or temporary care of destitute, crippled, and deformed children under twelve years of age; nonsectarian.

Number of paid employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 38, viz., 4 partly paying, 34 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,245 56	Salaries and wages . .	\$3,852 31
From beneficiaries . .	182 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	839 45
Subscriptions and donations	1,016 00	Provisions and supplies . .	2,698 76
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,750 00	Telephone . . .	67 58
Income from investments . .	3,330 25	Heat, light, and power . .	1,191 62
Fair and entertainments . .	3,070 41	Additions, improvements, and repairs . . .	2,222 38
Total current receipts . .	\$11,594 72	Furnishings, clothing, and school supplies . . .	900 50
From invested fund . .	2,000 00	Surgical supplies . . .	530 26
		Insurance . . .	220 00
		Transportation and express	229 42
		Water and sewer tax . .	187 95
		Total current expenses . .	\$12,940 23
		Cash on hand . . .	654 49
	\$13,594 72		\$13,594 72

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$36,000; value of investments, \$82,350.

NEWSBOYS' READING ROOM, 7 Green St., Boston. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Clement S. Houghton, *President*; Frank C. Brewer, *Secretary*; B. Preston Clark, *Treasurer*; H. W. Plaisted, *Superintendent*.

To establish a reading room for newsboys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 600.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$191 81	Salaries and wages	\$1,094 15
From beneficiaries	100 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	74 98
Subscriptions and donations	1,467 00	Rent	850 01
Income from investments	391 51	Heat, light, and power	56 28
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	23 00
		Total current expenses	\$2,098 42
		Cash on hand	52 55
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	\$2,150 97		\$2,150 97

Value of investments, \$9,896.58.

NICKERSON HOME FOR CHILDREN, 125 Townsend St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1850.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Sarah E. Dawes, *President*; Mrs. Garafelia M. Dawson, *Secretary*; Howell F. Wilson, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Lola C. Holway, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for destitute children under fourteen years of age, from every part of New England, especially half orphans.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 95, viz., 34 paying, 33 partly paying, 28 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$362 18	Salaries and wages	\$1,420 16
From beneficiaries	2,305 45	Provisions and supplies	1,980 66
Subscriptions and donations	2,604 58	Heat, light, and power	333 55
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	41 00
Income from investments	654 50	On account of loan	4,000 00
From fair	226 65	125 Townsend St.	12,458 30
Building fund	1,545 09	Miscellaneous	543 18
Sale of bond	887 50		<hr/>
From sale of 14 Tyler St.	3,600 00	Total current expenses	\$20,776 85
	<hr/>	Income invested	805 97
Total current receipts	\$12,685 95	Cash on hand	103 13
Loans to income	9,000 00		<hr/>
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	\$21,685 95		\$21,685 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$12,395.35.

NORTH BENNET STREET INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, 39 North Bennet St., Boston. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, *President*; Francis W. Hunnewell, 2d, *Secretary*; Russell G. Fessenden, *Treasurer*; Alvin E. Dodd, *Director*.

Social and educational improvement; research and experiment in educational and social methods.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number in clubs and classes, about 732.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$2,995 54	Salaries and wages . .	\$20,773 33
Subscriptions and donations	25,627 96	Temporary loan paid off .	1,000 00
Income from investments .	528 50	Provisions and supplies .	3,803 88
City of Boston	1,615 33	Interest on note	500 00
Day nursery	103 20	Heat, light, and power . .	1,741 89
Telephone	16 50	Furnishings and incidental	
Department receipts . . .	1,065 18	repairs	657 36
Social service house . . .	124 40	Equipment	800 20
Miscellaneous	34 53	Water	263 70
		Telephone	345 59
		Social service house, re-	
		pairs, furnishings, house-	
		hold supplies, club equip-	
		ment and supplies, and	
		summer school	1,441 13
		Miscellaneous	13 05
		Total current expenses .	\$31,345 05
		Cash on hand	766 09
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	\$32,111 14		\$32,111 14

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$80,600; value of investments, \$11,943.

NORTH END DIET KITCHEN, 8 Staniford Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Dr. Malcolm Storer, *President*; Miss Marian L. Blake, *Secretary*; Alfred D. Foster, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eloise J. Spencer, *Matron*.

To provide, free of expense, such diet and food for sick persons as may be directed by the physicians of the dispensaries of Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 493.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,771 04	Salaries and wages . .	\$345 45
From beneficiaries . .	1,020 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies	19 01
Subscriptions and donations . .	2,585 00	Provisions and supplies . .	3,624 39
Income from investments . .	1,690 36	Rent	276 00
Bank, State of New York, final dividend	24 50	Heat, light, and power . .	58 80
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	4 30
		Rent safe deposit box, two years	20 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$4,347 95
		Income invested	1,014 86
		Cash on hand	1,728 90
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	\$7,091 71		\$7,091 71

Value of investments, \$27,110.

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,311.

**OLIVER DITSON SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF NEEDY MUSICIANS,
Boston. (Incorporated 1889.)**

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Arthur Foote, *President*; Charles F. Smith, *Secretary*; Arthur R. Smith, *Assistant Treasurer*.

Relief of sick, disabled, and needy musicians.

Number aided during year, 37.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$10 31	To beneficiaries	\$1,224 20
Annuities and bequests to income	1,564 41	Cash on hand	435 32
Payments refunded	84 80		
	<hr/> \$1,659 52		<hr/> \$1,659 52

Value of investments, \$34,000.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR OF THE TOWN OF BOSTON IN THE PROVINCE OF MASSACHUSETTS BAY IN NEW ENGLAND, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1772.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

William P. Fowler, *Chairman* and *Treasurer pro tem.*; Benjamin Pettee, *Secretary*.

Care and distribution of certain trust funds held for various charitable purposes.

Number aided during year, 291.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,900 36	Fuel	\$891 70
Subscriptions and donations	300 00	Bank stock	9,000 00
Income from investments	31,218 99	City notes	7,500 00
City notes expired	7,500 00	Cash grants (pensions)	30,324 72
Sale of bank stock	9,000 00	Miscellaneous	638 14
Miscellaneous	3,815 42		
	<hr/> \$57,734 77	Total current expenses	\$48,354 56
		Cash on hand	9,380 21
			<hr/> \$57,734 77

Value of investments, \$846,381.32.

PETER BENT BRIGHAM HOSPITAL, corner Huntington Ave. and Francis St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending May 24, 1913.

Alexander Cochrane, *President*; Laurence H. H. Johnson, *Secretary*; Edmund D. Codman, *Treasurer*; Dr. H. B. Howard, *Superintendent*.

Hospital for the sick poor in the county of Suffolk.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$278,703 23	Investments, including	
Capital invested . . .	6,099,176 76	hospital site . . .	\$6,476,152 55
Receipts . . .	229,688 65	Preliminary operating ex-	
Sale of securities (gain		penses, etc. . . .	46,656 43
on)	39,810 09	Cash on hand . . .	124,569 75
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	\$6,647,378 73		\$6,647,378 73

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,496,956; value of investments, \$4,877,772.86.

In partial operation since January, 1913.

**PREACHERS' AID SOCIETY OF THE NEW ENGLAND CONFERENCE
OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 93 Milk St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1858.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Everett O. Fisk, *President*; Alonzo R. Weed, *Secretary*; Arthur E. Dennis, *Treasurer*.

Caring for worn-out preachers, their widows and children.

Number aided during year, 65.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,417 47	Beneficiaries	\$4,166 34
Income from investments . .	3,763 82	Accrued interest on bonds . .	242 70
		Miscellaneous	119 87
	<hr/>	Total current expenses . .	\$4,528 91
		Cash on hand	652 38
	\$5,181 29		<hr/>
			\$5,181 29

Value of investments, \$82,096.25.

**ROBERT B. BRIGHAM HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES, Parker Hill Ave.,
Roxbury. (Incorporated 1903.)**

Report for year ending October, 1913.

John H. Gibbs, *President*; Samuel A. Merrill, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mary E. L. Thrasher, *Superintendent*.

For the care and medical and surgical treatment of citizens of Boston incapable of obtaining a comfortable livelihood by reason of chronic or incurable disease.

Not yet in operation.

**THE ROBERT GOULD SHAW HOUSE, INC., 6 Hammond St., Roxbury.
(Incorporated 1908.)**

Report for year ending June 26, 1913.

Robert Treat Paine, *President*; Rev. Charles E. Park, *Secretary*; Harold Peabody, *Treasurer*; Miss Isabel Eaton, *Head Worker*.

To promote the social and moral welfare of the negroes of Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 200.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$27 06	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,461 22
Subscriptions and donations	4,373 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	69 00
Miscellaneous	77 27	Rent	675 00
Total current receipts	\$4,477 34	Heat, light, and power	323 87
Loans	850 00	Paid on account of loan	750 00
		Clubs and classes	516 88
		Miscellaneous	531 37
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	\$5,327 34		\$5,327 34

THE ROBERT TREAT PAINE ASSOCIATION, 16 State St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Rev. George L. Paine, *President*; John H. Storer, *Clerk*; Robert Treat Paine, *Treasurer*.

Distributes net income to charitable organizations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	\$7,294 15	Salaries and wages	\$450 00
		Heat, light, and water	736 77
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	918 42
		Taxes	1,234 92
		Care of real estate	239 65
		Insurance	112 49
		Charity gifts	3,255 00
		Miscellaneous	21 00
		Total current expenses	\$6,968 25
		Income overpaid April 1, 1912	315 02
		Cash on hand	10 88
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	\$7,294 15		\$7,294 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,400; value of investments, \$71,730.

ROSLINDALE BOYS' CLUB ASSOCIATION, Roslindale. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William J. Wilson, *President*; Mary A. McCarthy, *Secretary*; Dorothea M. Myers, *Treasurer*.

To save young men and boys from the vicious influence of street life by establishing and maintaining places for reading rooms, gymnasium, class work, or social meetings, and other profitable substitutes (nonsectarian), and to make them more manly, clean, and self-reliant.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$97 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$0 20
Interest	4 79	Contributions to Building fund returned to donors	72 00
Materials sold	1 00	Building fund, Roslindale Community Club	29 27
		Miscellaneous	2 25
	<hr/> \$103 72		<hr/> \$103 72

Work temporarily suspended.

ROTCH TRAVELLING SCHOLARSHIP, Room 1125, 131 State St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Annie Lawrence Lamb, *President*; Clarence H. Blackall, *Secretary*; William Rotch, *Treasurer*.

Advancement of education in architecture.

Number aided during year, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$194 08	Compensation to trustees	\$157 87
Income from investments	3,157 38	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2 43
		Rent, State Street Safe Deposit	10 00
		Students in architecture	1,675 41
		Expense of examinations and Society of Architects	202 14
		Interest on investment	19 89
		Total current expenses	\$2,067 74
		Transfer to capital	890 00
		Cash on hand	393 72
	<hr/> \$3,351 46		<hr/> \$3,351 46

Value of investments, approximately \$65,000.

ROXBURY CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 106 Roxbury St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1799.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

James DeNormandie, D.D., *President*; W. Dudley Cotton, Jr., *Secretary*; C. L. DeNormandie, *Treasurer*; Harold K. Estabrook, *General Agent*.

To assist the poor of Roxbury.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 669; number of families aided, 147. About 1,200 calls treated at dispensary, some of whom received material aid.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,104 94	Salaries and wages	\$3,276 67
Subscriptions and donations	591 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	129 11
Income from investments	2,790 64	Insurance	34 45
Trustees Davis fund	4,047 84	Janitor service	105 03
Dispensary fees	111 54	Heat, light, and power	82 16
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	131 45
		Dispensary service	326 08
		Charity	3,328 14
		Miscellaneous	268 59
		Total current expenses	\$7,681 68
		Income invested	305 03
		Cash on hand	1,659 75
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	\$9,646 46		\$9,646 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,775.63; value of investments, \$61,391.83.

ROXBURY FEMALE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Putnam Chapel, Putnam St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Albert F. Hayden, *President*; Miss Helen Rogers, *Secretary*; Charles L. DeNormandie, *Treasurer*.

To aid needy women of Roxbury with material for sewing and in other charitable ways.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$224 20	Materials	\$178 54
Subscriptions	30 00	Paid to women for work	118 90
Income from investments	414 94	Miscellaneous	1 58
Sale of garments	140 05	Total current expenses	\$608 12
Loan returned	25 00	Cash on hand	226 07
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	\$834 19		\$834 19

Value of investments, \$9,100.

ROXBURY HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 5 Burton Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Martin L. Cate, *President*; Mary S. Parker, *Secretary*; Charles L. DeNormandie, *Treasurer*; Miss Harriett E. Richards, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant American women, natives or long-time residents of Roxbury and not less than sixty-five years of age. Admission fee, \$300.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 29.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$69 18	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,725 43
Admissions	900 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	111 58
Subscriptions and donations	783 60	Provisions and supplies	2,747 85
Income from investments	8,302 13	Taxes and repairs	942 46
Miscellaneous	51 65	Heat, light, and power	621 18
<hr/>		Furnishings and incidental repairs	908 42
Total current receipts	\$10,106 56	Outside beneficiaries	527 86
Received on account of principal	16,924 87	Care of house and grounds	285 75
<hr/>		Medical expense	245 89
		Administration expenses	1,010 28
		Miscellaneous	192 65
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		Total current expenses	\$10,319 35
		Invested	16,478 10
		Cash on hand	233 98
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	\$27,031 43		\$27,031 43

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,000; value of investments, \$174,993.18.

ROXBURY NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 858 Albany St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Martin L. Cate, *President*; O. N. Farnham, *Secretary*; A. Winsor Weld, *Treasurer*; Ethel W. Dougherty, *Head Worker*.

To provide a day nursery for children dependent on such care, and a social and recreational center for the residents of the neighborhood. (Nursery closed.)

Number of paid officers or employees, about 10.

Number using house privileges during year, about 1,300.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,252 79	Salaries and wages	\$7,356 43
Subscriptions and donations	12,644 06	Printing, postage, and office supplies	151 83
Dues	277 55	Provisions and supplies	1,935 11
Board	639 45	Heat, light, and power	1,363 80
Miscellaneous	204 89	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,486 09
<hr/>		Insurance and water taxes	819 38
		Camp expenses	411 31
		Miscellaneous	822 51
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		Total current expenses	\$14,346 46
		Cash on hand	672 28
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	\$15,018 74		\$15,018 74

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$46,000.

**THE RUGGLES STREET NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE, 147 Ruggles St.,
Roxbury. (Incorporated 1902.)**

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, *President*; Frederick J. Pingree, *Treasurer* and *Clerk*; Miss Adelene Moffat, *Supervisor*; Mrs. C. G. Tale, *Head Worker*.

To give instruction in industrial work, home making, gardening, and athletics to children and adults. To conduct clubs and classes for the social and civic welfare of the neighborhood.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

Number aided during year, 500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw .	\$6,140 64	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,335 68
		Heat, light, and water . .	622 35
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	762 54
		Class materials	113 09
		Telephone	68 34
		Boston Social Union . .	83 40
		Miscellaneous	155 24
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	\$6,140 64		\$6,140 64

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$13,300.

**ST. ELIZABETH'S HOSPITAL OF BOSTON, 61 West Brookline St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1872.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; John J. Attridge, *Secretary*; Sister Mary Rose, *Treasurer*; John R. Slattery, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Care of sick, poor, and aged women of Boston and vicinity, regardless of creed or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 37.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,062, viz., 662 paying, 209 partly paying, 191 free; outside institution, 9,756, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$60,874 33	Salaries and wages . .	\$7,041 45
From beneficiaries . .	28,494 62	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and dona-		supplies	196 32
tions	11,761 61	Provisions and supplies .	10,242 47
Annuities and bequests to		Heat, light, and power .	2,408 38
income	27,216 89	Furnishings and inciden-	
Income from investments .	6,452 19	tal repairs	4,108 30
		Insurance and taxes . .	1,726 76
		Miscellaneous	1,415 74
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	\$134,799 64	Total current expenses .	\$27,139 42
		Cash on hand	107,660 22
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			\$134,799 64

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$156,800; amount of mortgage on same, \$25,481.14; value of investments, \$48,800.

ST. JOSEPH'S ASSOCIATION OF BOSTON, Charles St., Boston. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Rev. L. W. Slattery, *President* and *Treasurer*; Rev. P. J. McCormack, *Secretary*.

To promote and encourage religion and education; to disseminate charity; to pursue literature, music, and dramatics; to conduct industrial classes; to encourage athletics, aquatics, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 81.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$264 67	Salaries and wages	\$36 45
From beneficiaries	600 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	19 50
Subscriptions and donations	377 00	Provisions and supplies	56 85
		Heat, light, and power	45 90
		Interest on mortgage	10 50
		Mortgage	350 00
		St. Vincent de Paul Association	600 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,119 20
		Cash on hand at end of year	122 47
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	\$1,241 67		\$1,241 67

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$11,000.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOME, 43 East Brookline St., Boston. (Incorporated 1867.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President* and *Treasurer*; Rev. William P. McQuaid, *Secretary*; Sister Ledoux, *Superintendent*.

For unemployed women and immigrant girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 1,244, viz.: 1,079 paying, 55 partly paying, 110 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,229 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,206 31
Board	7,573 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies	239 51
Subscriptions and donations	24 95	Provisions and supplies	3,360 58
Interest on deposits	206 52	Heat, light, and power	625 15
Work	10 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,049 59
		Miscellaneous	260 45
		Total current expenses	\$6,741 59
		Cash on hand	6,302 99
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	\$13,044 58		\$13,044 58

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$18,000.

ST. LUKE'S HOME FOR CONVALESCENTS, 149 Roxbury St., Roxbury.
(Incorporated 1872.)

Report for year ending October 17, 1913.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, *President*; Charles E. Mason, *Secretary*; William H. Aspinwall, *Treasurer*; Miss H. O. Coombs, *Matron*.

A convalescent home for women, without distinction as to age, creed, or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 161.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,419 39	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,849 34
Subscriptions and donations	4,318 58	Printing, postage, and office supplies	106 15
Income from investments	7,490 22	Provisions and supplies	2,976 98
Legacies and donations	2,500 00	Heat, light, and power	153 32
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, rebate national bank tax	15 45	Furnishings and incidental repairs	688 72
Miscellaneous	193 64	Improvements	4,232 00
		Outside relief expense	1,040 13
		Petty cash established	25 00
		Miscellaneous	1,401 22
		Total current expenses	\$13,472 86
		Cash invested	210 00
		Cash on hand	3,254 42
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	\$16,937 28		\$16,937 28

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$27,819.50; value of investments, \$179,235.45.

ST. MARY'S INFANT ASYLUM AND LYING-IN HOSPITAL, Everett Ave., Dorchester. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Patrick F. McDonald, *Secretary*; Edward J. O'Neil, *Treasurer*; Sister Veronica, *Sister Superior*.

The care, support, and education of homeless and neglected children under three years of age, and for all the purposes of a lying-in hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 60.

Number aided during year in institutions: St. Mary's Infant Asylum, adults, 270, viz., 180 partly paying, 90 free; children, 630, viz., 26 partly paying, 604 free; St. Margaret's Hospital, 504, all paying; children boarded outside, 195, viz., 115 paying, 60 partly paying, 20 free (135 included in the 630 aided in institution).

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,904 23	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,782 00
Subscriptions and donations	4,945 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	462 00
Annuities and bequests to income	5,250 00	Provisions and supplies	21,100 09
Income from investments	29 36	Interest and taxes	903 66
House money	24,905 38	Heat, light, and power	7,304 41
Entertainments and festival	7,357 53	Furnishings and incidental repairs	3,518 95
		Dry goods	1,668 34
		Miscellaneous	375 52
		Total current expenses	\$42,114 97
		Cash on hand	3,277 18
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	\$45,392 15		\$45,392 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$127,800; amount of mortgage on same, \$15,000.

ST. STEPHEN'S SETTLEMENT, TRUSTEES OF, 9 Florence St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Harry Burnett, *President*; Thomas P. Beal, Jr., *Secretary*;
George L. Benedict, *Treasurer*.

To hold title to real estate and funds for the benefit of mission work carried on by St. Stephen's Church on Florence St., Boston.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,439 24	Salaries and wages	\$2,985 83
Subscriptions and donations	6,263 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	262 42
Annuities and bequests to income	1,050 00	Provisions and supplies	2,605 91
Income from investments	1,001 32	Heat, light, and power	1,146 27
Miscellaneous	780 64	Furnishings and incidental repairs	191 27
		Medical expenses	487 38
		Miscellaneous	735 21
		Total current expenses	\$8,414 29
		Income invested	1,221 76
		Cash on hand	898 65
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	\$10,534 70		\$10,534 70

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$31,431.94; value of investments, \$23,445.67.

ST. VINCENT'S ORPHAN ASYLUM, Camden St. and Shawmut Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1834.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Thomas F. Harrington, M.D., *Secretary*; John J. Mundo, *Treasurer*; Sister Rose, *Sister Superior*.

Care of orphan girls three to fourteen years of age.

Number of paid employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 182, viz., 42 paying, 50 partly paying, 90 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$9,741 18	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,658 00
From beneficiaries . . .	1,000 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	8,757 59
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,835 50	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,719 64
Bequests to income . . .	2,100 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	785 58
Board of children . . .	7,640 23	Miscellaneous . . .	1,721 28
Miscellaneous . . .	3,217 60		
		Total current expenses . . .	\$15,642 09
		Cash on hand . . .	9,892 42
	<hr/> \$25,534 51		<hr/> \$25,534 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$112,000.

SALVATION ARMY OF MASSACHUSETTS, INC., 8 East Brookline St., Boston. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Commander Evangeline Booth, *President*; Maj. Burleigh F. Hillman, *Secretary*; Col. Adam Gifford, *Treasurer*.

To benefit the poor by relieving their bodies from disease and suffering, bringing their minds and hearts under the influence of education and the Christian religion, and assisting them to establish themselves in life.

Number of paid officers or employees, 76.

Number aided during year in institutions, 327,905, viz., 194,055 paying, 31,920 partly paying, 101,920 free; outside institutions, 48,295, all free; number of families aided 3,580.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$89,796 18	Salaries and wages . . .	\$22,994 10
Subscriptions and dona- tions	38,684 62	Printing, postage, and office supplies	18,064 66
Annuities and bequests to income	4,323 98	Provisions and supplies . .	31,859 06
Percentages from corps for oversight	10,616 57	Rent, taxes, interest, and insurance	22,775 73
		Heat, light, and power . .	3,146 89
		Furnishings and incident- tal repairs	6,971 52
		Traveling	4,324 01
		Legal and professional . .	264 46
		Grants to poor corps and needy officers	5,397 35
		To beneficiaries	16,368 59
		General and oversight ex- penses	7,474 61
		Total current expenses . .	\$139,640 98
		Balance to capital	3,780 37
	\$143,421 35		\$143,421 35

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$534,449.95; amount of mortgage on same, \$245,600.

SCOTS' CHARITABLE SOCIETY, 101 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1786.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Walter Ballantyne, *President*; Gilbert A. Patterson, *Secretary*; John N. Jordan, *Treasurer*.

To furnish relief to Scotsmen, their immediate descendants and families, and to give them information and advice.

Number aided during year, 2,480.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,531 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$327 65
Subscriptions and donations . .	525 00	Rent	310 65
Income from investments	2,824 53	Furnishings and incidental repairs	79 15
Membership fees	707 00	Charity disbursements . . .	3,604 85
Proceeds of charity ball	312 85	Telephone	44 42
Miscellaneous	2 50	Burial expenses	27 00
		Miscellaneous	12 95
		Total current expenses . .	\$4,406 67
		Cash on hand	1,496 36
	\$5,903 03		\$5,903 03

Value of investments, \$56,257.94.

SHAW ASYLUM FOR MARINERS' CHILDREN, 12 Ashburton Place, Boston. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Quincy A. Shaw, *President*; Walter C. Smith, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*.

Aid to children and widows of mariners.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 501; in own homes, 128 families; children in foster homes, 6; widows over seventy years of age, 23.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$13,376 02	Salaries and wages	\$2,920 00
Income from investments	22,637 14	Printing, postage, and office supplies	75 25
Miscellaneous	515 56	Rent	300 00
		Aid	15,982 55
		Miscellaneous	301 58
		Total current expenses	\$19,579 38
		Income invested	11,593 69
		Cash on hand	5,355 65
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	\$36,528 72		\$36,528 72

Value of investments, \$601,192.38.

SOCIETY FOR HELPING DESTITUTE MOTHERS AND INFANTS, 276 Tremont St., Boston. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles P. Putnam, M.D., *President*; Miss Lillian Freeman Clarke, *Secretary*; Mrs. Bertram Greene, *Treasurer*.

To assist a mother, whether married or unmarried, to retain her infant in her personal care, and to lead an upright life. No distinction of race, color or creed. Not intended for the depraved, the feeble-minded, or for the mother who wishes to give her child up for adoption.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 700; number of families aided, about 350.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$51 02	Salaries and wages	\$2,717 58
Subscriptions and donations	3,146 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies	208 94
Income from investments	474 72	Provisions and supplies	515 87
Miscellaneous	538 89	Heat, light, and power	22 06
		Miscellaneous	206 09
		Total current expenses	\$3,670 54
		Cash on hand	540 11
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	\$4,210 65		\$4,210 65

Value of investments, \$7,550.

SOCIETY FOR MINISTERIAL RELIEF, 25 Beacon St., Boston. (Incorporated 1850.)

Report for year ending May 2, 1913.

Rev. James DeNormandie, *President*; Rev. Henry W. Foote, *Secretary*; Henry Endicott, Jr., *Treasurer*.

Relief of Unitarian clergymen who are in necessitous circumstances.

Number aided during year, 28.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$5,094 15	Payments to beneficiaries .	\$9,450 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	25 00	Accrued interest on securities purchased . .	99 58
Income from investments . .	10,325 13		
Accrued interest repaid . .	299 16	Total current expenses .	\$9,549 58
		Income invested . .	680 96
		Cash on hand . .	5,512 90
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	\$15,743 44		\$15,743 44

Value of investments, \$213,607.21.

SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF AGED OR DISABLED EPISCOPAL CLERGYMEN, 1 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1846.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D.D., *President*; Rev. Prescott Evarts, *Secretary*; George P. Gardner, *Treasurer*.

For the relief of aged or disabled Episcopal clergymen.

Number aided during year, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations . .	\$558 73	To beneficiaries . . .	\$2,500 00
Income from investments . .	4,441 99	Rent of safe and auditing . .	15 00
B. M. Clark fund . .	270 58		
Convention collection . .	79 52	Total current expenses .	\$2,515 00
Mudge fund . .	170 00	Income invested . .	3,005 82
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	\$5,520 82		\$5,520 82

Value of investments, \$104,000.

SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF THE WIDOWS AND ORPHANS OF CLERGYMEN OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 1 Joy St., Boston. (Incorporated 1841.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, *President*; Rev. Reuben Kidner, *Secretary*; Russell S. Codman, *Treasurer*.

For the relief of widows and orphans of clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 66.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$46 41	Salaries and wages	\$75 00
Income from investments	9,482 18	Printing, postage, and office supplies	5 00
		Appropriations and payments to annuitants	9,066 72
		Miscellaneous	67 49
		Total current expenses	\$9,214 21
		Cash on hand	314 38
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	\$9,528 59		\$9,528 59

Value of investments, \$205,083.78.

SOCIETY OF ST. MARGARET (St. Monica's Home), 125 Highland St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1882.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

George O. G. Coale, *President*; Paul M. Hubbard, *Secretary*; Sister Vera Margaret, *Treasurer* and *Sister in Charge*.

For the care and treatment of sick colored women and children, including a tuberculosis ward of ten to twelve beds.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 70, viz., 40 partly paying, 30 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$931 87	Salaries and wages	\$2,402 76
From patients	3,386 18	Printing, postage, and office supplies	112 66
Subscriptions and donations	3,050 17	Provisions and supplies	2,771 60
Income from investments	257 59	Heat, light, and water tax	587 22
From industries	689 32	Furnishings and incidental repairs	467 76
		Drugs and hospital supplies	159 88
		Express, telephone, and insurance	113 81
		Postage, car fare, and sundries	373 18
		For industries	214 11
		Miscellaneous	55 69
		Total current expenses	\$7,733 67
		Cash on hand	581 46
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	\$8,315 13		\$8,315 13

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,200; value of investments, \$2,611; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$2,335.

SOUTH BOSTON DAY NURSERY, 521 East 7th St., South Boston. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Ellerton James, *President* and *Treasurer*; Miss Sally Rackemann, *Secretary*; Mrs. Caroline W. Somes, *Matron*.

Day nursery for children under five years of age whose mothers are obliged to work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number of families aided, 90.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$159 70	Salaries and wages . . .	\$375 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	967 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	8 00
Fair . . .	266 25	Provisions and supplies . . .	446 19
Miscellaneous . . .	10 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	62 57
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	165 70
		Insurance for five years . . .	9 00
		Water . . .	11 00
		New heater . . .	27 64
		Back taxes on property . . .	26 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	34 30
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,165 40
		Income invested . . .	100 00
		Deficit, 1911 . . .	7 52
		Cash on hand . . .	130 03
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	\$1,402 95		\$1,402 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,000.

SOUTH BOSTON SAMARITAN SOCIETY, South Boston. (Incorporated 1840.)

Report for year ending November 7, 1913.

Mrs. L. D. Packard, *President*; Mrs. Elizabeth P. Holbrook, 15 Thomas Park, South Boston, *Secretary*; Mrs. Sarah C. Harrington, *Treasurer*.

To assist the worthy poor of South Boston regardless of age, sex, creed, etc.

Number aided during year, 82; number of families aided, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3 83	Provisions and supplies . . .	\$49 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	8 50	Miscellaneous . . .	3 00
Income from investments . . .	40 40	Total current expenses . . .	\$52 00
		Cash on hand . . .	73
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	\$52 73		\$52 73

Value of investments, \$2,000.

SOUTH END DAY NURSERY, 25 Dover St., Boston. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Harriet Minot Laughlin, *President*; Miss Elizabeth H. Flint, *Secretary*; Lincoln Bryant, *Treasurer*; Miss Annie M. Chaffe, *Matron*.

To help needy mothers, who from necessity are wage earners, by caring for their children during working hours.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Aggregate attendance at nursery, 14,884.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$438 16	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,206 68
From beneficiaries . . .	789 80	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	36 60
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,925 44	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,213 92
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	300 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	201 42
Income from investments . . .	1,400 85	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	185 25
Proceeds of fair . . .	325 62	Mortgage interest . . .	231 60
Rent, city of Boston . . .	400 00	Water rates . . .	88 20
Sale of food and clothing . . .	93 53	Telephone . . .	37 72
		Insurance . . .	37 05
		Miscellaneous . . .	116 82
Total current receipts . . .	\$5,673 40		
Loans to income . . .	8 20	Total current expenses . . .	\$4,355 26
		Income invested . . .	264 75
		Cash on hand . . .	1,061 59
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	\$5,681 60		\$5,681 60

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,900; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,000; value of investments, \$29,057.37.

SOUTH END DAY NURSERY AUXILIARY, 25 Dover St., Boston. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending May 20, 1913.

Mrs. Stanley P. Clemens, *President*; Mrs. Andrew Kaul, Jr., *Secretary*; Mrs. George A. Chapman, *Treasurer*.

To assist the South End Day Nursery by paying mortgage and interest and helping with running expenses.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,513 86	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$87 22
Subscriptions and donations . . .	110 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	44 12
Income from investments . . .	35 25	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	401 00
Miscellaneous . . .	1,947 47	Miscellaneous . . .	1,057 95
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,590 29
		Cash on hand . . .	2,016 29
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	\$3,606 58		\$3,606 58

**SOUTH END DIET KITCHEN, 21A Common St., Boston, and 73 A St.,
South Boston. (Incorporated 1882.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1911.

Mrs. Peter C. Brooks, *President*; Miss Mary St. B. Eustis, *Secretary*; Miss Fanny Torrey Sturgis, *Treasurer*.

To feed the sick poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,070 68	Salaries and wages . . .	\$639 00
From beneficiaries . . .	206 62	Printing, postage, and office supplies	15 65
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,353 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,078 17
Income from investments . . .	2,035 91	Rent	250 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	34 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	466 99
		Miscellaneous	26 75
		Total current expenses . . .	\$4,510 56
		Income invested	1,158 22
		Cash on hand	997 43
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	\$6,666 21		\$6,666 21

Value of investments, \$45,794.58.

**SOUTH END DISPENSARY AND HOSPITAL, 2A Milford St., Boston.
(Incorporated 1893.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Delbert L. Loomis, *President*; Lillian Lowell, *Secretary*; Freeman L. Lowell, M.D., *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

Dispensary for medical and surgical cases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Collector employed on commission.

Number aided during year, about 2,500, house and office visits.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$574 83	Salaries and wages	\$1,221 00
From beneficiaries	249 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	122 95
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,462 50	Provisions and supplies . . .	15 29
Interest on deposit	2 41	Rent	360 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	63 47
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	3 40
		Miscellaneous	4 65
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,790 76
		Cash on hand	498 48
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	\$2,289 24		\$2,289 24

THE SOUTH END HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 20 Union Pk., Boston.
(Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. George Hodges, *President*; William I. Cole, *Secretary*;
James A. Lowell, *Treasurer*; Robert A. Woods, *Head of the House*.

For the improvement of the conditions of life and labor in a tenement and lodging house district by providing opportunities for industrial and domestic training and for healthful, social intercourse. Co-operates with relief-giving agencies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number aided during year, 1,000, viz., 900 paying, 100 partly paying; outside institution, 1,500, viz., 750 partly paying, 750 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$4,556 82	Salaries and wages . .	\$15,371 91
From beneficiaries . . .	911 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	824 96
Subscriptions and donations . . .	23,911 99	Provisions and supplies . .	4,936 51
Income from investments . . .	938 49	Rent . . .	420 00
Board and room rent of residents . . .	6,369 36	Heat, light, and power . .	1,670 34
Miscellaneous . . .	1,010 56	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,472 55
		Interest and insurance . .	1,812 97
		Part payment of loan . .	2,000 00
		Summer work . . .	1,909 62
		Special instruction . . .	796 50
		Miscellaneous . . .	2,060 02
		Total current expenses . .	\$33,275 38
		Cash on hand . . .	4,423 59
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	\$37,698 97		\$37,698 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$26,500; value of investments, \$20,000.

SOUTH END INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, 40 Bartlett St., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

C. L. DeNormandie, *Vice President*; Miss Margaret M. Thacher, *Secretary*; William H. Varney, *Treasurer*; Mrs. A. R. Damon, *Superintendent*.

To give industrial training and social opportunities to young people and adults in Roxbury district.

Number of paid officers or employees, 28.

Number using House privileges, about 1,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,779 79	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,596 82
From beneficiaries . . .	414 55	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	447 60
Subscriptions and donations . . .	6,154 16	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,292 31
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	5,200 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	554 38
Income from investments . . .	2,095 22	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	882 92
Gain on securities sold . . .	90 00	Telephone . . .	113 60
Special fund, gift from a friend . . .	500 00	Insurance . . .	120 00
Miscellaneous . . .	45 00	Special fund . . .	100 00
		Loss on bonds sold . . .	167 50
		Miscellaneous . . .	213 90
Total current receipts . . .	\$16,278 72		
Investments paid . . .	8,195 00	Total current expenses . . .	\$8,489 03
		Income invested . . .	13,508 75
		Cash on hand . . .	2,475 94
	\$24,473 72		\$24,473 72

Value of investments, \$48,457.61.

SUFFOLK DISPENSARY, 4 Charter St., Boston. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Albert C. Smith, *President* and *Treasurer*; Fred G. Phillemore, *Secretary*; William C. Clarke, M.D., *Superintendent*.

Dispensary. Open day and night.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2 (including janitor).

Number aided during year, 3,938, viz., 1,822 partly paying, 2,116 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$2,208 35	Salaries and wages . . .	\$985 25
Subscriptions and donations . . .	650 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	65 20
		Provisions and supplies . . .	283 50
		Rent . . .	780 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	165 20
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	108 60
		Water . . .	100 50
		Medical books . . .	28 50
		Laundry . . .	30 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	36 20
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,582 95
		Cash on hand . . .	275 40
	\$2,858 35		\$2,858 35

SUMMER STREET FIRE FUND, 85 Milk St., Boston. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

Alfred E. Wellington, *President*; Henry H. Sprague, *Secretary*; James R. Hooper, *Treasurer*.

Supplying tools to mechanics who have lost same by fire.

Number aided during year, 48.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,495 84	Tools supplied to mechanics .	\$662 00
Income from investments .	1,260 00	Cash on hand	3,094 73
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	\$3,756 73		\$3,756 73

Value of investments, \$30,814.30.

SUNNYSIDE DAY NURSERY, 41 Blossom St., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Miss Frances C. Sturgis, *President*; Mrs. Thomas Motley, Jr., *Secretary*; I. McD. Garfield, *Treasurer*; Mrs. S. E. Hines, *Matron*.

To furnish a day nursery for the care of young children of working women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 104; number of families aided, 74.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$773 36	Salaries and wages	\$1,771 19
From beneficiaries	402 80	Printing, postage, and office supplies	60 54
Subscriptions and donations .	2,833 00	Provisions and supplies	885 54
Income from investments . .	642 78	Heat, light, and power	303 88
Miscellaneous	229 48	Furnishings and incidental repairs	657 59
		Sewing lessons	16 88
		Laundry	256 14
		Telephone, water, etc. . . .	145 87
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		Total current expenses	\$4,097 63
		Cash on hand	783 79
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	\$4,881 42		\$4,881 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,400; value of investments, \$14,225.62.

SWEDISH CHARITABLE SOCIETY OF GREATER BOSTON, Boston. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Axel Magnuson, *President*; George Nelson, 782 Dudley St., Dorchester, *Secretary*; Anton Hedin, *Treasurer*.

To furnish relief, advice, and assistance to persons of Swedish descent and their families; also to erect and support a Home for aged and incapacitated Swedish people.

Number aided during year, 21; number of families aided, 30.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$252 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$62 33
Subscriptions and donations	476 70	Rent	15 00
Income from investments	118 71	Advertising	25 90
From entertainment	396 12	Donations to needy persons	529 00
From bazaar	5,354 22	Miscellaneous	28 50
From lecture	102 37		
		Total current expenses	\$660 73
		Income invested	5,827 09
		Cash on hand	212 35
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	\$6,700 17		\$6,700 17

Value of investments, \$5,837.09.

SWISS BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William Conza, *President*; Mrs. Lena Schuerch, *Secretary*; Mrs. Elizabeth C. Fischer, *Treasurer*.

Material advice and financial assistance to Swiss citizens or descendants therefrom.

Number aided during year, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,692 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$17 03
Subscriptions and donations	100 00	Cash aid given	122 75
From Swiss government	5,750 00	Miscellaneous	21 50
Interest	100 54		
		Total current expenses	\$161 28
		Cash on hand	2,789 36
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	\$2,950 64		\$2,950 64

TEMPORARY HOME FOR WORKING WOMEN, 453 Shawmut Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1873.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Mrs. Henry R. Dalton, *President*; Miss Laura Revere Little, *Secretary*; Richard C. Story, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Maude A. Edson, *Superintendent*.

Temporary home for unemployed working women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$675 17	Salaries and wages	\$2,292 08
Subscriptions and donations	189 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	59 77
Annuities and bequests to income	2,255 00	Provisions and supplies	1,968 88
Income from investments	2,361 47	Heat, light, and power	567 18
Miscellaneous	3,016 15	Furnishings and incidental repairs	931 84
		Miscellaneous	1,224 93
		Total current expenses	\$7,044 68
		Income invested	828 33
		Cash on hand	623 78
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	\$8,496 79		\$8,496 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,000; value of investments, \$59,316.

THE TREMONT DISPENSARY, 1050 Columbus Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Spencer W. Richardson, *President*; Robert W. Hastings, M.D., *Secretary*; George W. Kaan, M.D., *Treasurer*.

The medical and surgical treatment of the sick poor of Roxbury and vicinity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of treatments during year, 5,599.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$152 32	Salaries and wages	\$590 00
From beneficiaries	883 25	Printing	18 00
Subscriptions and donations	205 00	Supplies	226 05
Income from investments	150 00	Rent	494 00
Rental	195 00	Heat, light, and power	138 99
		Miscellaneous	79 53
		Total current expenses	\$1,546 57
		Cash on hand	39 00
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	\$1,585 57		\$1,585 57

Value of investments, \$3,000.

TRINITY CHURCH HOME FOR THE AGED (RACHEL ALLEN MEMORIAL), 135 South Huntington Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Rev. Alexander Mann, D.D., *President*; Mrs. Percival Lombard, *Secretary*; Mrs. Isaac R. Thomas, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Annie E. Jarvis, *Superintendent*.

Boarding home for aged women of the church.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$56 27	Salaries and wages	\$2,749 64
From beneficiaries	8,195 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies	66 00
Subscriptions and donations	612 00	Provisions and supplies	3,382 91
Miscellaneous	3 55	Heat, light, and power	1,147 58
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	870 60
		Interest on mortgage	247 50
		Miscellaneous	99 60
		Total current expenses	\$8,563 83
		Cash on hand	303 96
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	\$8,867 79		\$8,867 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$40,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

UNION RESCUE MISSION, 64A Dover St., Boston. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

F. F. Davidson, *President*; Clarke W. Morehouse, *Secretary*;
F. F. McLeod, *Treasurer*; P. E. Call, *Superintendent*.

The rescue of lost men and women and the reconstruction of broken lives.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Free lodgings given, 1,160; meals given, 5,500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$75 22	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,968 16
From beneficiaries . . .	5,000 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	506 28
Subscriptions and donations . . .	4,623 89	Rent . . .	400 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	174 18
		Lodgings and aid . . .	599 77
		Miscellaneous . . .	408 17
		Total current expenses . . .	\$5,056 51
		Income invested . . .	4,566 00
		Cash on hand . . .	76 60
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	\$9,699 11		\$9,699 11

Value of investments, \$4,566.

UNITED HEBREW BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, 43 Hawkins St., Boston. (Incorporated 1867.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Simon Vorenberg, *President*; A. E. Pinanski, *Secretary*; M. H. Goldschmidt, *Treasurer*; Mrs. M. M. Silverman, *Superintendent*.

To aid deserving Jewish poor temporarily; must have lived here for not less than one year.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number aided during year, 2,221; number of families aided, 472.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$954 74	Cash given	\$13,103 08
From beneficiaries . . .	788 49	Board of children . . .	234 25
Subscriptions and donations	15,575 00	Board of sick	278 05
Income from investments .	571 42	Transportation	553 63
		Diet orders	1,763 64
		Coal	567 02
		Stationery, postage, and printing	36 85
		Medicine	17 89
		Established in business .	352 40
		Miscellaneous	600 69
		Total current expenses .	\$17,507 50
		Cash on hand	382 15
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	\$17,889 65		\$17,889 65

Value of investments, \$14,380.22.

VINCENT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 125 South Huntington Ave., Boston.
(Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

George H. Davenport, *President*; Rev. Reuben Kidner, *Secretary*;
Charles H. Parker, *Treasurer*; Jean C. Fraser, *Superintendent*.

Hospital care for poor women and girls over twelve years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number aided during year, 164, viz., 31 paying, 46 partly paying,
87 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$434 92	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,196 49
From beneficiaries . . .	5,011 86	Printing, postage, and office supplies	181 40
Subscriptions and donations	2,993 90	Provisions and supplies .	3,333 47
Income from investments .	4,718 79	Heat, light, and power .	1,062 71
Attendants	77 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	793 72
Miscellaneous	66 43	General expenses . . .	305 20
		Water	141 90
		Laundry	223 34
		Telephone	139 75
		Miscellaneous	886 09
		Total current expenses .	\$13,264 07
		Cash on hand	38 83
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	\$13,302 90		\$13,302 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$75,628.52; amount of mortgage on same, \$12,000; value of invest-
ments, \$148,504.76.

WASHINGTONIAN HOME, 41 Waltham St., Boston. (Incorporated 1859.)

Report for year ending April 25, 1913.

George Holden Tinkham, *President*; Samuel W. Sargent, *Secre-
tary*; Henry W. Hart, *Treasurer*; Dr. V. A. Ellsworth, *Superin-
tendent*.

Treatment and care of inebriates.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 939, viz., 919 paying, 20 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,183 89	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,383 51
From beneficiaries . . .	11,861 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	719 76
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,700 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	6,022 88
Income from investments . . .	2,986 95	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,283 28
Miscellaneous . . .	800 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,298 25
		Advertising . . .	40 30
		Insurance . . .	52 35
		Drugs and medicines . . .	329 10
		Miscellaneous . . .	150 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$15,279 83
		Cash on hand . . .	5,252 01
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	\$20,531 84		\$20,531 84

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$67,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$79,743.23.

WELLS MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION, 985 Washington St., Boston. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Edmund Billings, *President*; Howard Whitmore, *Secretary*; John H. Storer, *Treasurer*; William C. Ewing, *Superintendent*.

To furnish working men and women the means of social intercourse, mutual helpfulness, mental and moral improvement, and rational recreation.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number aided during year, about 2,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations . . .	\$4,201 70	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,509 58
Membership dues . . .	1,647 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,041 44
Hall rentals . . .	6,606 50	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,880 95
Bowling alley receipts . . .	202 34	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,533 91
Towels . . .	116 10	Water tax . . .	112 70
Miscellaneous . . .	356 44	Entertainments . . .	369 23
		Newspapers and magazines . . .	251 29
Total current receipts . . .	\$13,130 58	Telephone . . .	114 12
Deficit March 31, 1913 . . .	2,931 49	Deficit, March 31, 1912 . . .	883 63
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,365 22
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	\$16,062 07		\$16,062 07

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$61,100.

THE WIDOWS' SOCIETY OF BOSTON, Boston. (Incorporated 1828.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Miss Anna T. Reynolds, *President*; Mrs. William C. Loring, *Secretary*; Henry S. Hunnewell, *Treasurer*.

To visit and aid widows and unmarried women over sixty years of age.

Number aided during year, 133.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,473 85	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$117 75
Subscriptions and donations	4,149 00	Paid to widows	13,111 40
Income from investments	8,669 44		
		Total current expenses	\$13,229 15
		Income invested	777 97
		Cash on hand	3,285 17
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	\$17,292 29		\$17,292 29

Value of investments, \$209,516.62.

WINCHESTER HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 10 Eden St., Charlestown. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Walter S. Glidden, *President*; Leslie Langill, *Secretary*; William P. Hart, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Cora A. Roberts, *Matron*.

Home for women over sixty years of age of American parentage, residents of Charlestown for ten years.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 37, viz., 4 partly paying, 33 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$894 00	Salaries and wages	\$2,911 40
Subscriptions and donations	1,527 08	Printing, postage, and office supplies	161 41
Annuities and bequests	1,235 00	Provisions and supplies	4,429 61
Income from investments	7,250 81	Heat, light, and power	1,077 79
Miscellaneous	4 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,733 84
		Miscellaneous	499 45
Total current receipts	\$10,910 89	Total current expenses	\$10,813 50
Loans to income	91 03	Income invested	188 42
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	\$11,001 92		\$11,001 92

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$44,681.98; value of investments, \$126,813.15.

**WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE NEW ENGLAND BAPTIST HOSPITAL,
Parker Hill Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated 1898.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. C. W. Walsh, *President*; Mrs. Mary L. Colton, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Margaret T. Blanchard, *Treasurer*.

To aid in the work of the New England Baptist Hospital.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$211 92	Printing and postage . . .	\$54 25
Subscriptions and donations . . .	362 41	Furnishings . . .	300 00
Miscellaneous . . .	385 69	Free bed . . .	250 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	43 73
		Total current expenses . . .	\$647 98
		Cash on hand . . .	312 04
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	\$960 02		\$960 02

**WOMAN'S CHARITY CLUB, Parker Hill Ave., Roxbury. (Incorporated
1889.)**

Report for year ending April 17, 1913.

Mrs. Esther Frances Boland, *President*; Mrs. Augustus L. Tallman, *Secretary*; Mrs. Arthur H. James, *Treasurer*.

To assist in maintaining the Massachusetts Woman's Hospital
(formerly Woman's Charity Club Hospital).

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$407 72	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$142 43
From dues . . .	760 50	Rent . . .	90 00
Donation day . . .	275 57	State federation tax . . .	24 05
Ingathering (in place of sale) . . .	1,428 78	Interest on mortgage . . .	72 26
Junior Charity Club . . .	250 00	To Massachusetts Woman's Hospital (formerly Wom- an's Charity Club Hos- pital) . . .	3,350 00
Committees . . .	780 37	Miscellaneous . . .	80 16
Miscellaneous . . .	59 28		<hr/>
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,758 90
		Cash on hand . . .	203 32
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	\$3,962 22		\$3,962 22

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$36,600; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,000; value of invest-
ments, \$2,056.58.

**WOMAN'S SEAMAN'S FRIEND SOCIETY OF BOSTON, MASS., 14 Beacon
St., Boston. (Incorporated 1896.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. H. J. Jaquith, *President*; Mrs. Henry C. Delano, *Secretary*;
Miss Ruth R. Blodgett, *Treasurer*.

To provide necessary clothing for the sailor, visit the hospitals,

and work for his comfort and entertainment and general welfare, in connection with, and as auxiliary to, the Boston Seaman's Friend Society.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$319 56	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$89 71
Subscriptions and donations	846 15	Provisions and supplies	385 98
Income from investments	238 36	Rent	65 00
Miscellaneous	107 87	Miscellaneous	517 79
		Total current expenses	\$1,058 48
		Cash on hand	453 46
	<hr/> \$1,511 94		<hr/> \$1,511 94

Value of investments, \$6,316.21.

WOMEN'S EDUCATIONAL AND INDUSTRIAL UNION, 264¹/₂ Boylston St., Boston. (Incorporated 1880.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Mary Schenck Woolman, *President*; Miss Melita Knowles, *Secretary*; Mrs. Helen Peirce, *Treasurer*.

To promote the educational, industrial, and social advancement of women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 290.

Number of families aided, 1,847; number of persons receiving legal aid, 507.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$14,174 45	Salaries and wages	\$156,327 75
Income from investments	246 00	Rent	7,798 32
From all departments of the union	464,652 19	Heat, light, and power	7,155 25
Miscellaneous	1,380 69	Repairs and improvements	5,633 94
		General operating expenses	308,200 04
Total current receipts	\$480,453 33		
Deficit for year	4,661 97		
	<hr/> \$485,115 30		<hr/> \$485,115 30

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$186,356.30; amount of mortgage on same, \$68,000; value of investments, \$10,875.20; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$40,910.34.

WORKING GIRLS' HOME AND HOME OF THE GREY NUNS, 89 Union Park St., Boston. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President* and *Treasurer*; Rt. Rev. Mgr. William P. McQuaid, *Secretary*; Sister Michaud, *Superior*.

To provide a home for respectable working girls at a low rate.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number aided during year in institution, 2,250, viz., 2,220 paying, 20 partly paying, 10 free; outside institution, 1,095, all free; number of families aided, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$10,697 59	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,613 35
Donations . . .	223 25	Provisions and supplies . . .	11,063 80
Board . . .	29,129 07	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,435 83
Interest . . .	63 82	Furnishings and incidental	
Miscellaneous . . .	572 90	repairs . . .	1,994 49
		Miscellaneous . . .	75 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$18,182 47
		Loan paid . . .	20,000 00
		Cash on hand . . .	2,504 16
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	\$40,686 63		\$40,686 63

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$64,830.

YOUNG MEN'S EDUCATIONAL AID ASSOCIATION, 712 Shawmut Ave., Boston. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

L. M. Holmes, *President*; Robert A. Simmons, *Secretary*; William H. C. Smith, *Treasurer*.

To provide a place where our young men may assemble and form good fellowship and helpful associations, — a place to supplant the evil influences of pool rooms and street corners.

Number aided during year, 12; number of families aided, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Donations . . .	\$17 00	Rent . . .	\$20 00
Miscellaneous . . .	26 86	Miscellaneous . . .	22 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$42 00
		Cash on hand at end of year . . .	1 86
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	\$43 86		\$43 86

THE YOUNG TRAVELLERS' AID SOCIETY, Boston. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Mrs. W. Scott Fitz, *President*; Mrs. Lewis Perry, *Secretary*; Miss Lucetta P. Goldsborough, *Treasurer*.

To befriend girls and young women coming as strangers to Boston. Agents meet incoming trains at North and South Stations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 7,959.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$155 90	To North American Civic League for Immigrants for salaries of agents assigned to travellers' aid work and money paid out by them in assisting travellers . .	\$2,200 00
Subscriptions and donations	926 00	Cash on hand	187 74
Income from investments	1,305 84		
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	\$2,387 74		\$2,387 74

Value of investments, \$1,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$23,645.07.

BOXFORD.

FEMALE CHARITABLE SOCIETY OF WEST BOXFORD, Main St., West Boxford. (Incorporated 1880.)

Report for year ending May 26, 1913.

Anna P. Park, *President*; Myra A. Mooers, *Secretary*; Myra A. Chadwick, *Treasurer*.

To aid needy persons, without regard to age, sex, race, religion, or mental condition.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$23 56	Missionary barrel	\$100 00
Missionary barrel	100 00	Church repair fund	161 50
Income from investments	20 00	Fiske University	25 00
Entertainments and dues	203 74	Cemetery repairs	20 00
		Missionary alliance	20 00
		Miscellaneous	6 74
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		Total current expenses	\$333 24
		Cash on hand	14 06
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	\$347 30		\$347 30

Value of investments, \$600.

BRIDGEWATER.

BRIDGEWATER VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, Bridgewater. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Mrs. Flora P. Little, *President*; Miss Edith M. Ames, *Secretary*; Mrs. Lois T. Blake, *Treasurer*; Helen K. Chadwick, *Visiting Nurse*.

To give the sick, and especially those of limited means, the best home nursing under existing circumstances; also to lend assistance to and engage in such projects as may tend to benefit the public health.

Number of paid employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 138.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$162 42	Salaries and wages	\$927 50
Subscriptions and donations	171 56	Printing, postage, and office supplies	42 00
Membership fees	224 00	Provisions and supplies	6 15
Entertainments, etc. . . .	320 79	Telephones	9 75
Visits of nurse	556 75	Furnishings and incidental repairs	60
		Car fare for nurse	25 20
		Total current expenses	\$1,011 20
		Cash on hand	424 32
	<hr/> \$1,435 52		<hr/> \$1,435 52

Value of investments, \$600.

BROCKTON.

THE BAY STATE MEDICAL AND SURGICAL COMPANY, 98 West Ashland St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending October 13, 1913.

Alfred Swallow, *President* and *Superintendent*; Frederick W. Swallow, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To furnish physicians and surgeons for a weekly payment of 10 cents. Family contract for 4 persons at 25 cents a week, and 5 cents per week for each additional person.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 472, viz., 344 paying, 59 partly paying, 69 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$6 10	Salaries and wages	\$900 00
From beneficiaries	99 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	62 90
Subscriptions and donations	927 35	Provisions and supplies	59 45
Miscellaneous	6 75	Miscellaneous	4 85
		Total current expenses	\$1,027 20
		Cash on hand	12 25
	<hr/> \$1,039 45		<hr/> \$1,039 45

BROCKTON DAY NURSERY, 39 Everett St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Mrs. J. P. Shaw, *President*; Mrs. Clara C. Emerson, *Secretary*; George Clarence Holmes, *Treasurer*; Mrs. H. M. Weeman, *Superintendent*.

To care for young children during the working hours of the mothers. The building and endowment fund is held by the corporation of the Douglas Gift to the Brockton Day Nursery.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 5,857.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$741 40	Salaries and wages . . .	\$721 33
Subscriptions and donations . . .	837 49	Provisions and supplies . .	426 44
Annuities and bequests to income	479 38	Heat, light, and power . .	299 95
Tag day	621 56	Furnishings and incidental repairs	250 92
Interest	5 40	Sewer and water	54 41
Miscellaneous	1 12	Miscellaneous	108 69
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,855 74
		Cash on hand	830 61
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	\$2,686 35		\$2,686 35

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,000.

BROCKTON HOSPITAL COMPANY, 680 Centre St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

George H. Leach, *President*; Dr. Loring B. Packard, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; William G. Allen, *Treasurer*.

Care of medical, surgical, obstetrical cases, and emergencies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 42.

Number aided during year, 949, viz., 576 paying, 95 partly paying, 278 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,405 53	Salaries and wages . . .	\$14,048 91
From beneficiaries	15,600 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	801 39
Subscriptions and donations . . .	4,079 53	Provisions and supplies . .	11,685 82
Annuities and bequests to income	8,550 00	Rent	500 00
Income from investments	3,566 18	Heat, light, and power . .	3,547 91
Services of visiting nurse	110 67	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,935 06
Sales of supplies	195 73	Telephone, water, and sewer . .	1,220 12
Miscellaneous	113 61	Insurance and interest . .	564 50
		Miscellaneous	3,053 67
Total current receipts	\$33,621 26	Total current expenses . .	\$37,357 38
Loans to income	5,000 00	Income invested	300 00
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	963 88
	\$38,621 26		<hr/>
			\$38,621 26

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$87,000; value of investments, \$109,800.

BROCKTON VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, 31 Centre St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Mrs. Charles S. Peirce, *President*; Mrs. Joseph Hewett, *Secretary*; Mrs. Bernard B. Winslow, *Treasurer*; Miss Margaret Macfarlane, *Superintendent*.

To give to the sick, and especially those of limited means, the best home nursing under existing circumstances.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4 (nurses).

Nurses average 6 calls per day.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$548 49	Salaries and wages	\$3,405 71
Subscriptions and donations	1,772 89	Printing, postage, and office supplies	142 83
Income from investments	10 53	Provisions and supplies	3 60
Reserve fund and interest	833 14	Rent	96 00
Nurses' collections	789 15	Light	6 00
City of Brockton	13 55	Furnishings and incidental repairs	12 65
From garden party	305 39	Gift for retiring supervisor	11 32
Metropolitan Life Insurance Company	455 00	Telephone rent	27 00
		Annual meeting	9 00
		Total current expenses	\$3,714 11
		Income invested	833 14
		Cash on hand	180 89
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	\$4,728 14		\$4,728 14

Value of investments, \$833.14.

BROCKTON YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 76 Green St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Miss Annie L. Burke, *President*; Mrs. W. W. Clayton, *Secretary*; Mrs. Perley G. Flint, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eliza A. Pratt, *Matron*.

Social, moral, and spiritual welfare of girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 151.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$126 80	Salaries and wages	\$1,488 48
Subscriptions and donations	2,979 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies	49 25
Rent	294 00	Provisions and supplies	1,392 22
Class work	261 70	Heat, light, and power	611 41
Board and rooms	2,469 16	Furnishings and incidental repairs	249 74
Miscellaneous	34 34	City taxes	130 22
		Insurance	13 10
		Payment on mortgage	400 00
		Interest on mortgage	220 00
		Miscellaneous	263 91
		Total current expenses	\$4,818 33
		Cash on hand	1,347 55
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	\$6,165 88		\$6,165 88

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,000.

**DOUGLAS GIFT TO THE BROCKTON DAY NURSERY, TRUSTEES
OF, 39 Everett St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1910.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Warren A. Reed, *President*; Annie M. Buchanan, *Secretary*;
Fred B. Howard, *Treasurer*.

To hold real estate and trust fund given by W. L. Douglas to
the Brockton Day Nursery.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	\$486 42	Paid to beneficiary	\$479 38
		Miscellaneous	7 04
	<hr/> \$486 42		<hr/> \$486 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$10,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

**MASSACHUSETTS HEALTH COMPANY, 71 Warren Ave., Brockton. (In-
corporated 1898.)**

Report for year ending October 29, 1913.

A. P. Bicknell, *President*; Ernest B. Rowe, *Secretary*; Elizabeth
R. Connelly, *Treasurer*.

Furnishing medical and surgical services and medicine for weekly
payment of ten cents.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 987, viz., 502 paying, 280 partly
paying, 205 free; number of families aided, 26.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$18 84	Salaries and wages	\$1,550 00
From beneficiaries	2,328 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	14 22
		Provisions and supplies	424 31
		Rent	60 00
		Heat and light	18 00
		Childbirth cases	260 00
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		Total current expenses	\$2,326 53
		Cash on hand	14 31
	<hr/> \$2,340 84		<hr/> \$2,340 84

**SARAH J. PETTEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND, High School,
Warren Ave., Brockton. (Incorporated 1911.)**

Report for year ending January 8, 1913.

Edward Parker, *President*; Zilpha Chace, *Secretary*; Charles P.
Holland, *Treasurer*.

For the purpose of holding, investing, and expending moneys do-

nated or otherwise obtained, to assist deserving graduates of Brockton High School in getting further education.

Number aided during year, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments . . .	\$92 91	Scholarships	\$90 00
		Cash on hand	2 91
	<hr/> \$92 91		<hr/> \$92 91

Value of investments \$1,558.56.

WALES HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 553 North Main St., Brockton. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Horace A. Keith, *President*; Lillian M. Keith, *Secretary*; Ottilena Field, *Treasurer*; Miss Emily A. Silver, *Matron*.

Home for aged women not less than seventy years of age, residents of Brockton for five years preceding application. Admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 18.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$225 98	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,348 96
From beneficiaries . . .	2,000 00	Printing and postage . .	5 00
Subscriptions and donations	1,192 89	Provisions and supplies .	1,680 00
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Taxes	12 81
Income from investments . .	116 00	Heat, light, and power . .	690 47
Miscellaneous	748 28	Furnishings and incidental repairs	243 62
		Insurance	109 95
		Miscellaneous	427 51
		Total current expenses . .	\$4,518 32
		Cash on hand	264 83
	<hr/> \$4,783 15		<hr/> \$4,783 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$21,000; value of investments, \$1,940.50.

BROOKLINE.

BROOKLINE DAY NURSERY, 10 Walter Ave., Brookline. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Frederic Higginson, *President*; Mrs. George D. Burrage, *Secretary*; Mrs. Theodore G. Br mer, *Treasurer*; Miss Gena Dorsey, *Matron*.

The care of children under six years of age during the day, while their mothers are at work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 140, all paying; number of families aided, 80.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$1,210 54	Salaries and wages	\$1,996 89
From beneficiaries	583 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies	118 88
Subscriptions and donations	1,705 27	Provisions and supplies	1,023 60
Income from investments	79 14	Heat, light, and power	150 47
From fair	1,733 41	Furnishings and incidental repairs	267 45
		Loan paid	100 00
		Miscellaneous	140 91
		Total current expenses	\$3,798 20
		Cash on hand	1,519 13
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	\$5,317 33		\$5,317 33

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; value of investments, \$1,011.11.

THE BROOKLINE FRIENDLY SOCIETY, corner High and Walnut Sts., Brookline. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. James M. Codman, *President*; Mrs. Edward D. VerPlanck, *Secretary*; Henry W. Lamb, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Elizabeth K. Taft, *Superintendent*, social service department.

To co-operate with the poor of Brookline in efforts for their improvement. Incidentally, numerous departments have been established, as summer camp, district nurse, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year by social service department, 311; 3,495 visits by district nurse department.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$151 23	Salaries and wages	\$5,299 98
From beneficiaries	586 64	Printing, postage, and office supplies	373 33
Subscriptions and donations	7,925 95	Heat, light, and power	841 61
Income from investments	518 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	248 71
Metropolitan Life Insurance Company (nursing)	387 85	Classes, etc.	242 60
Entertainments	336 45	Summer camp	506 15
Rents	369 00	District nurse department	194 54
Miscellaneous	11 18	Social service department	133 74
		Miscellaneous	274 41
		Total current expenses	\$8,115 07
		Repayment of loan	2,000 00
		Cash on hand	171 23
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	\$10,286 30		\$10,286 30

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$53,713.91; value of investments, \$24,004.03.

FREE HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN, Pond Ave., Brookline. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

George R. Fearing, Jr., *President*; Nathaniel W. Walker, *Secretary*; Frederick J. Bradlee, *Treasurer*; Miss H. J. Ewin, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of needy women suffering from diseases peculiar to their sex.

Number of paid officers or employees, 40.

Number aided during year in institution, 781; outside institution, 1,460.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$8,090 36	Salaries and wages . .	\$13,903 24
Subscriptions and donations . .	8,729 38	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	249 25
Income from investments . .	23,111 11	Provisions and supplies . .	9,737 93
Bequests and investments . .	14,612 36	Heat, light, and power . .	4,661 26
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	589 76
		Drugs and medicines . .	3,766 74
		Laundry . . .	181 19
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,670 42
		Total current expenses . .	\$34,759 79
		Bequests and investments . .	16,633 52
		Cash on hand . . .	3,149 90
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	\$54,543 21		\$54,543 21

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$250,000; value of investments, \$492,870.25.

CAMBRIDGE.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF CAMBRIDGE, 763 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending November 10, 1913.

Rev. George Hodges, D.D., *President*; Miss Mary H. Winslow, *Secretary*; Henry W. Bullard, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary L. Birtwell, *General Secretary*.

To promote co-operation among societies and individuals, to study the needs of all applicants and secure prompt and adequate treatment, to develop self-help, preserve the home, encourage thrift, diminish pauperism, enlist and train volunteers, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number of families or individuals dealt with or worked for, 678; number of families who received material relief, 204.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$7,409 19	Salaries and wages	\$5,045 10
Income from investments	475 92	Printing, postage, and office supplies	305 54
Total current receipts	\$7,885 11	Rent	543 98
Loans to income	859 62	Heat, light, and power	5 30
		Miscellaneous	556 25
		Deficit at beginning of year	2,288 56
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	\$8,744 73		\$8,744 73

Value of investments, \$13,036.62.

AVON HOME, 689 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

William W. Dallinger, *President*; Mrs. Charles L. Stebbins, *Clerk*; Miss Mary A. Ellis, *Treasurer*; Mrs. C. A. Davison, *Matron*; Miss E. O. Stannard, *General Secretary*.

To benefit children found destitute within the limits of the city of Cambridge. Boys over seven and girls over twelve are not admitted to live in the home, but are placed under the care of the home in private families. (Home closed.)

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year in institution, 37, viz., 32 partly paying, 5 free; outside institution, 99, viz., 3 paying, 85 partly paying, 11 free; number of families aided, 93.

Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 68; number of placing-out visitors, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,324 55	Salaries and wages	\$4,404 88
Subscriptions and donations	867 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	316 72
Income from investments	7,573 24	Provisions and supplies	1,058 10
Annual sale at the Home	1,166 08	Rent of office	315 00
Sale by Avon Club	424 68	Heat, light, and water	132 72
From parents or relatives for board	4,856 19	Furnishings and incidental repairs	98 63
From parents or relatives for special needs	92 68	Boots, clothing, and dry goods	336 96
From country week committee	1,001 89	Board	5,010 25
For hospital work	2,138 00	Country week board and other expenses	1,001 89
Legacy	2,400 00	Miscellaneous	313 75
	<hr/>	Total current expenses	\$12,988 90
		Income invested	2,400 00
		Cash on hand	6,455 42
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	\$21,844 32		\$21,844 32

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,700; value of investments, \$216,030.94.

THE BAPTIST HOME, 308 Brookline St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending January 16, 1913.

O. M. Wentworth, *President*; William Albert McCoy, *Secretary*; Dwight Chester, *Treasurer*; Miss A. M. Cummings, *Superintendent*.

Home for persons of the Baptist faith in Massachusetts, not less than sixty-five years of age, and residing within 30 miles of Boston. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 33.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,482 24	Salaries and wages	\$2,938 00
From beneficiaries	1,032 24	Provisions and supplies	2,833 16
Subscriptions and donations	4,692 69	Heat, light, and power	1,190 63
Income from investments	3,128 24	Furnishings and incidental repairs	41 84
		Water tax	157 60
		Telephone	37 25
		Funeral expenses	43 00
		Miscellaneous	97 92
		Total current expenses	\$7,339 40
		Cash on hand	2,996 01
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	\$10,335 41		\$10,335 41

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$21,500; value of investments, \$57,183.64.

BETHESDA SOCIETY, 309 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1854.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Harold Murdock, *President*; Miss G. L. Clapp, *Secretary*; Miss Alberta M. Houghton, *Treasurer*; Miss Abbie Anderson, *Superintendent*.

To aid in the support of the "Refuge in the City of Boston."

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$38 44	Salaries and wages	\$1,754 00
Subscriptions and donations	305 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	80 13
Income from investments	2,275 27	Supplies	200 00
Miscellaneous	87 71	Furnishings and incidental repairs	68 94
		Telephone	69 66
		Lessons in Swedish gymnastics	156 00
		Laundry work	59 55
		Miscellaneous	62 50
		Total current expenses	\$2,450 78
		Cash on hand	255 64
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	\$2,706 42		\$2,706 42

Value of investments, \$52,225.

CAMBRIDGE ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION, 689 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Eugene A. Darling, M.D., *President*; Miss Louise W. Jackson, *Secretary*; A. Mead Wheeler, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mabel Greely Smith, *General Secretary*.

To study conditions concerning tuberculosis in Cambridge; to inform the community as to causes and prevention of tuberculosis; and to arouse general interest in securing adequate provision for the care of tuberculous patients in their homes and in hospitals and sanatoria.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$40 50	Salaries and wages	\$1,846 00
Subscriptions and donations	2,411 00	Printing, postage, car fares, and office supplies	275 41
Sale of Red Cross stamps	288 75	Rent, including heat	466 68
Proceeds of reading	175 75	Light	4 12
Interest on deposits	8 05	Furnishings and incidental repairs	5 00
Total current receipts	\$2,924 05	Telephone	69 85
Loans to income	450 00	Interest on loans	9 50
		Expenses of delegates to con- ferences	40 25
		Miscellaneous	12 55
		Total current expenses	\$2,729 36
		Loans paid	600 00
		Cash on hand	44 69
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	\$3,374 05		\$3,374 05

CAMBRIDGE HOMES FOR AGED PEOPLE, 360 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Jeremiah Smith, Jr., *President*; Miss H. W. Aubin, *Secretary*; George Howland Cox, *Treasurer*; Miss Christine Nicholson, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant persons, not less than sixty-five years of age, residents of Cambridge for ten years or more. Admission, \$300 for single person; \$450 for couple.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year in institution, 48; outside institution, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$5,396 40	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,111 81
From beneficiaries . . .	900 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	232 67
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,520 31	Provisions and supplies . . .	5,999 43
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	4,100 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,235 20
Income from investments . . .	10,396 29	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	494 01
		Water . . .	123 59
Total current receipts . . .	\$22,313 00	Burial expenses, including purchase of two lots . . .	1,022 35
Interest on Mary E. Fox trust fund . . .	8 90	Insurance . . .	73 50
Mortgage payments . . .	336 00	Outdoor relief . . .	975 00
Sale of securities . . .	37,610 00	Miscellaneous . . .	647 44
		Total current expenses . . .	\$14,915 00
		Income invested . . .	32,827 06
		Construction of new wing . . .	10,086 00
		Mary E. Fox trust fund . . .	25 00
		Tupper mortgage . . .	16 80
		Cash on hand . . .	2,398 04
	\$60,267 90		\$60,267 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$76,630.95; value of investments, \$203,243.99.

CAMBRIDGE HOSPITAL, 330 Mt. Auburn St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1871.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Henry P. Walcott, M.D., *President*; Albert M. Barnes, *Secretary*; Francis E. Seaver, *Acting Treasurer*; Miss Gertrude M. Prudham, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Hospital for sick and disabled persons. Chronic and contagious diseases, except scarlet fever and diphtheria, not admitted. No other restrictions.

Number of paid officers or employees, 53.

Number aided during year in institution, 843, viz., 189 paying, 282 partly paying, 372 free; outside institution, 7,569, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$6,129 87	Salaries and wages . . .	\$12,220 77
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,051 47	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	421 96
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	8,000 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	11,828 14
Income from investments . . .	21,517 48	Heat, light, and power . . .	3,641 86
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	947 14
		Medical and surgical supplies . . .	4,529 17
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,659 41
		Total current expenses . . .	\$35,248 45
		Income invested . . .	2,450 37
	\$37,698 82		\$37,698 82

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$153,224.40; value of investments, \$445,902.43.

CAMBRIDGE NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE, 79 Moore St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending July 1, 1913.

Robert Walcott, *President*; Henry W. Holmes, *Secretary*; Walter F. Earle, *Treasurer*; George A. Bushee, *Head Worker*.

To give instruction in industrial work, home-making, and gardening; to conduct a day nursery; to conduct clubs and classes, and to further the social and civic welfare of the neighborhood.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number of house members, 755; children cared for in day nursery, 23; playground enrollment, 624.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$79 85	Salaries and wages	\$6,759 38
From beneficiaries	284 62	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 50
Subscriptions and donations	9,172 43	Provisions and supplies for classes	250 63
Benefit	42 11	Taxes	309 24
Petty cash, industrial school	128 66	Heat, light, and power	639 71
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	798 42
		Telephone	80 77
		Expenses of garden party	27 10
		Cash to beneficiary	50 00
		Expenses of garden	51 36
		Miscellaneous	596 21
		Total current expenses	\$9,575 32
		Cash on hand	132 35
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	\$9,707 67		\$9,707 67

CAMBRIDGEPORT FRUIT AND FLOWER MISSION, Cambridge. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Miss Susan A. Hovey, *President*; Miss Alice Taylor, *Secretary*; Miss Sarah A. Wilson, *Treasurer*.

To distribute fruit, flowers, and delicacies among the sick and poor of Cambridge.

Number of families aided, 55.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$10 22	Provisions and supplies	\$27 68
Subscriptions and donations	59 84	Carriages	62 50
Income from investments	37 84	Janitor	3 00
From Wilson fund	173 25	Telephone	55
		Miscellaneous	1 47
		Total current expenses	\$95 20
		Invested (Wilson fund)	173 25
		Cash on hand	12 70
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	\$281 15		\$281 15

Value of investments, \$1,233.91.

CAMBRIDGE RELIEF HOSPITAL, 199 Prospect St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

George V. Buehler, *President*; Maybin W. Brown, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To render quickest aid to the injured, and to treat the sick without loss of time to themselves or to their employers.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 7,100; viz., 3,950 paying, 2,255 partly paying, 895 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$430 11	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,123 53
From beneficiaries . . .	8,769 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	162 81
Drugs . . .	3,775 15	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,904 43
Miscellaneous . . .	173 59	Heat, light, and power . . .	674 93
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	601 99
		Water . . .	49 22
		Drugs . . .	2,768 26
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,302 69
		Total current expenses . . .	\$12,587 86
		Cash on hand . . .	560 69
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	\$13,148 55		\$13,148 55

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$8,245.

CAMBRIDGE VISITING NURSING ASSOCIATION, 35 Bigelow St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending February 1, 1913.

Mrs. Woodward Emery, *President*; Mrs. Walter Wesselhoeft, *Secretary*; Miss Alberta M. Houghton, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Katherine M. Hagan, *Superintendent*.

The amelioration of human suffering.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 2,216, viz., 1,352 paying, 337 partly paying, 527 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$63 79	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,850 01
From beneficiaries . . .	5,071 58	Printing, postage, and office supplies	263 97
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,086 24	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,924 08
Income from investments . . .	134 10	Heat, light, and power . . .	318 05
Transferred from "Home" account	299 15	Furnishings and incidental repairs	104 40
Memorial fund	215 00	Telephone	56 00
City of Cambridge	210 00	Car fares	468 00
Anti-Tuberculosis Association for nurse	212 50	Transferred to memorial fund . . .	215 00
Miscellaneous	257 51	New bathroom	336 65
		Miscellaneous	12 98
		Total current expenses . . .	\$8,549 14
		Cash on hand	73
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	\$8,549 87		\$8,549 87

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,500; value of investments, \$4,500.

CAMBRIDGE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Temple St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Mrs. F. C. Rivinius, *President*; Mrs. N. F. Lincoln, *Clerk*; Mrs. Edith L. Wilson, *Treasurer*; Miss Flora Benton Smith, *Acting General Secretary*.

To promote the temporal, moral, and religious welfare of the young women and girls of Cambridge.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$553 58	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,589 17
From beneficiaries . . .	1,038 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	487 11
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,502 73	Provisions and supplies . . .	8,648 79
Income from investments . . .	1,259 31	Rent	300 00
House receipts	16,026 60	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,728 48
Miscellaneous	2,421 88	Furnishings and incidental repairs	844 54
		Cook and maids	2,901 64
		Miscellaneous	1,668 15
		Total current expenses . . .	\$24,167 88
		Cash on hand	634 72
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	\$24,802 60		\$24,802 60

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$89,700; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$29,250.

COLUMBUS DAY NURSERY OF CAMBRIDGE, 252 Green St., Cambridge.
(Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

George P. O'Brien, *President*; Edward A. Counihan, *Secretary*; Timothy W. Good, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Bernard Madden, *Matron*.

To provide a home during daytime for children of working mothers, and other charitable purposes.

Number of paid employees, 3.

Number aided during year in institution, 151, viz., 131 paying, 20 free; outside institution, 109; number of families aided, 81.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$4,672 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$547 50
		Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	56 26
		Provisions and supplies . . .	252 20
		Heat, light, and power . . .	141 83
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,739 62
		Payment on mortgage . . .	1,000 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	494 49
		Total current expenses . . .	\$4,231 90
		Cash on hand . . .	440 29
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	\$4,672 19		\$4,672 19

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,500.

EAST END CHRISTIAN UNION, 7 Burleigh St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. H. H. Saunderson, *President*; Miss Priscilla Jowett, *Secretary*; Mr. Edwin H. Hanson, *Treasurer*; Miss Jessie M. Dawson, *General Secretary*.

For the purpose of carrying forward, on a nonsectarian basis, Sunday school, temperance, industrial, and such other work as shall seem best for the good of the neighborhood.

Paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 81; average daily attendance, 50; outside institution, 156; number of families aided, 54.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$434 01	Salaries and wages	\$1,264 46
Subscriptions and donations	1,144 68	Printing, postage, and office supplies	123 96
Income from investments	208 00	Provisions and supplies	67 79
Sales and entertainments	1,177 75	Heat, light, and power	327 92
Rent of hall	68 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	160 83
Miscellaneous	33 63	Insurance	31 00
		Miscellaneous	229 04
		Total current expenses	\$2,205 00
		Cash on hand	861 57
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	\$3,066 57		\$3,066 57

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500.

THE HOLY GHOST HOSPITAL FOR INCURABLES, 1575 Cambridge St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Sister D'Arche, *President, Treasurer and Superior*; Sister Sauve, *Secretary*.

Care of persons afflicted with incurable diseases, regardless of race, color, creed, or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 30.

Number aided during year, 175, viz., 137 paying, 4 partly paying, 34 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From board of patients	\$37,759 15	Salaries and wages	\$7,666 00
Interest	1,302 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	341 33
Subscriptions and donations	4,319 19	Provisions and supplies	14,574 00
Work	267 42	Heat, light, and power	1,669 66
Other sources	364 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,538 06
		Extraordinary repairs	4,319 50
		Paid on mortgage	10,000 00
		Miscellaneous	427 00
		Total current expenses	\$43,535 55
		Cash on hand	476 60
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	\$44,012 15		\$44,012 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$192,000.

THE LAMSON HOME, 308 Brookline St., Cambridge. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending April 2, 1913.

O. M. Wentworth, *President*; Dwight Chester, *Treasurer*.

Home for aged members of Baptist churches, preference being given to Baptist ministers, their wives, widows, or (adult) orphans.

The institution is managed by the Baptist Home, and the income from its investments is paid over to said corporation.

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,000; value of investments, \$10,023.05.

Income for year ending April 2, 1913, \$601.59.

THE REFUGE IN THE CITY OF BOSTON, 309 Mt. Auburn⁷ St., Cambridge.
(Incorporated 1823.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Winthrop S. Scudder, *President*; James B. Hawkins, *Secretary*; Lewis Kennedy Morse, *Treasurer*; Miss Abbie J. Anderson, *Superintendent*.

To afford relief, assistance, and protection to penitent females (partly supported by Bethesda Society).

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 30, viz., 15 partly paying, 15 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,925 73	Salaries and wages . . .	\$124 51
Income from investments . .	1,851 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	44 94
Income from Ashton fund . .	1,700 00	Provisions and supplies . .	1,794 94
Board, previous year . . .	162 50	Heat, light, and power . .	674 73
Board, current year . . .	520 30	Furnishings and incidental repairs	675 91
Treasurer, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	45 35	Insurance	94 80
		Miscellaneous	61 85
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,471 68
		Income invested	1,034 17
		Cash on hand	1,699 03
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	\$6,204 88		\$6,204 88

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$41,000; value of investments, \$38,400.

CANTON.

THE CANTON NURSING ASSOCIATION, Canton. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Fred W. Sumner, *President*; Miss Nathalia Bent, *Secretary*; Miss Mildred M. Dunbar, *Treasurer*; Miss Susan Phillips, *Nurse*.

To promote the health, to care for the sick, and to maintain a system of nursing in the town of Canton and its vicinity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 135, viz., 123 paying, 12 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$151 74	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,030 00
From beneficiaries . .	341 96	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	653 04	supplies	18 71
Special nurses on private		Provisions and supplies . .	17 73
cases	72 25	Telephone hire	33 65
From supplies furnished .	2 40	Special nurses' salaries . .	72 25
For telephone calls furnished	30	Car fares	21
Discount	28	Loans repaid	100 00
Total current receipts . .	\$1,221 97	Total current expenses . .	\$1,272 55
Loans	100 00	Cash on hand	49 42
	\$1,321 97		\$1,321 97

CHELSEA.

**CHELSEA DAY NURSERY AND CHILDREN'S HOME, 148 Shawmut St.,
Chelsea. (Incorporated 1888.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

J. F. Knowlton, *President*; Mary E. Loftus, *Secretary*; Annie E. Holmes, *Treasurer*; Mrs. C. R. Balcom, *Matron*.

Day nursery and temporary care for children under the age of twelve years whose parents or legal guardians are residents of Chelsea.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 54, viz., 1 paying, 47 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 70	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,216 35
Subscriptions and donations	10 58	Printing, postage, and office	
Income from investments .	568 47	supplies	31 65
Board of children . . .	1,393 35	Provisions and supplies . .	581 25
Membership dues . . .	222 00	Interest on mortgages . .	66 05
		Heat, light, and power . .	122 26
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	34 10
		Moving	28 00
		Telephone	24 95
		Ice	13 10
		Insurance	17 62
		Miscellaneous	50 69
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,186 02
		Cash on hand	25 08
	\$2,211 10		\$2,211 10

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$19,000; value of investments, \$5,000.

**CHELSEA YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 207 Shurtleff St.,
Chelsea. (Incorporated 1869.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Arthur C. Stone, *President*; Harlow M. Russell, *Secretary*; George W. Scott, *Treasurer*; Ralph A. Tracy, *General Secretary*.

Spiritual, mental, physical, and social welfare of young men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number of members, 500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$25 94	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,378 12
From members	2,837 44	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	905 78	supplies	300 00
Income	524 82	Heat, light, and power . .	1,700 00
Lockers	81 80	Furnishings and incidental	
Rent from dormitories . .	3,545 11	repairs	500 00
Tuition	360 84	Water, insurance, interest,	
Game fees	771 06	janitors	6,769 18
Loans	4,535 00		
Miscellaneous	206 90	Total current expenses . .	\$13,647 30
		Cash on hand	47 39
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	\$13,694 69		\$13,694 69

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,649.98; amount of mortgage on same, \$17,000.

CHEVRA KADISHA OF CHELSEA, corner Fourth and Walnut Sts., Chelsea. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending December 11, 1912.

L. S. Weinberg, *President*; N. Taymor, *Secretary*; S. Lavetts, *Treasurer*.

To bury the dead of the poor Hebrews of Chelsea in the cemetery in Montvale owned by the corporation.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number aided during year, 86, viz., 59 paying, 27 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$749 80	Salaries and wages . . .	\$308 68
Subscriptions and donations	305 30	Printing, postage, and office	
Lots sold	600 00	supplies	9 54
		Water tax	19 58
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	214 99
		Total current expenses . .	\$552 79
		Income invested	950 00
		Cash on hand	152 31
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	\$1,655 10		\$1,655 10

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000.

OLD LADIES' HOME ASSOCIATION OF CHELSEA, 3 Nichols St., Chelsea.
(Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

George E. Morrill, *President*; Mrs. Emma A. Winchester, *Secretary*; Edwin H. Curry, *Treasurer*; Ida M. Benson, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant women at least sixty years of age, residents of Chelsea for ten years. Admission fee, \$150.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,374 88	Salaries and wages	\$733 20
Subscriptions and donations	10 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1 75
Annuities and bequests to income	250 00	Provisions and supplies	325 80
Income from investments	2,736 60	Taxes	70 65
Mortgage payments	2,250 00	Heat, light, and power	344 50
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	152 27
		Inmates	192 00
		Safe deposit box	5 00
		Bonds bought	2,962 91
		Total current expenses	\$5,288 08
		Cash on hand	1,333 40
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	\$6,621 48		\$6,621 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$60,450.

RUFUS S. FROST GENERAL HOSPITAL, 100 Bellingham St., Chelsea.
(Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Edward E. Willard, *President*; Oliver E. Wyeth, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Emily Pine, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of sick persons.

Number of paid officers or employees, 38.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,177, viz., 527 paying, 498 partly paying, 152 free; outside institution, 721, viz., 103 paying, 190 partly paying, 428 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$305 29	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,944 99
From beneficiaries . .	30,431 91	Printing, postage, and office supplies	303 20
Subscriptions and donations	723 87	Provisions and supplies . .	13,770 75
Annuities and bequests to income	1,775 00	Rent	646 00
Income from investments . .	345 63	Heat, light, and power . .	2,705 40
Corporation dues	87 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,371 80
Telephone	38 94	Interest	972 50
Miscellaneous	192 31	Notes paid	500 00
		Mortgage reduced	650 00
		Insurance	90 00
		Miscellaneous	755 89
		Total current expenses . .	\$32,710 53
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	189 42
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	\$33,899 95		\$33,899 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$65,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$19,350; value of investments, \$10,000.

SOLDIERS' HOME IN MASSACHUSETTS, TRUSTEES OF, Crest Ave., Chelsea. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Eli W. Hall, *President*; Joseph B. Maccabe, *Secretary*; George F. Hall, *Treasurer*; Richard R. Foster, *Commandant*.

Care of indigent soldiers of civil and Spanish wars.

Number of paid officers or employees, 87.

Number aided during year, 830.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$32,230 44	Salaries and wages . . .	\$51,317 35
From beneficiaries . .	143,700 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,123 79
Subscriptions and donations	833 35	Provisions and supplies . .	65,839 36
Annuities and bequests to income	4,000 94	Heat, light, and power . .	15,119 82
Income from investments . .	2,473 10	Furnishings and incidental repairs	12,095 83
Effects, deceased members . .	671 04	Construction and permanent repairs	9,930 28
Miscellaneous	39 90	Loan and interest	17,108 38
		Effects paid to heirs of members	866 51
Total current receipts . .	\$183,948 77	Total current expenses . .	\$173,401 32
Loans to income	17,000 00	Cash on hand	27,547 45
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	\$200,948 77		\$200,948 77

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$440,000; value of investments, \$65,304.

CHICOPEE.

THE SHERMAN REST HOME, 259 Chicopee St., Chicopee. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending November 5, 1913.

Luther White, *President*; Rev. Charles Leon Stevens, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eleanor V. Chapman, *Matron*.

Vacation rest home for working girls and women.

Number aided during year, 16, viz., 14 paying, 1 partly paying, 1 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$10 27	Extra help for matron . . .	\$25 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	21 16	Printing, postage, and office supplies	4 00
Interest	86 18	Water	5 00
Land rent	60 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	101 26
		Board	26 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$161 26
		Cash on hand	16 35
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	\$177 61		\$177 61

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,500; value of investments, \$2,192.55.

CLINTON.

CLINTON ASSOCIATION FOR THE RELIEF AND CONTROL OF TUBERCULOSIS, 205 Church St., Clinton. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Dr. Walter P. Bowers, *President*; Miss Ellen K. Stevens, *Secretary*; John S. Scully, *Treasurer*.

Relief and control of tuberculosis.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 5; number of families aided, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$348 32	Salaries and wages	\$139 10
Subscriptions and donations . . .	46 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	5 43
Red Cross seals	202 48	Insurance	11 50
Interest	27 04	Trucking	2 00
		Red Cross seals	35 54
		Total current expenses . . .	\$193 57
		Cash on hand	430 77
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	\$624 34		\$624 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$500.

CLINTON HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, Highland St., Clinton. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Dr. Walter P. Bowers, *President*; Eli Forbes, *Secretary*; Thomas S. Davis, *Treasurer*; Miss Winifred L. Stevens, *Superintendent*.

An institution for the care, cure, and relief of sick or injured persons, irrespective of creed, nationality, or color.

Number of paid officers or employees, 30.

Number aided during year in institution, 582, viz., 386 paying, 79 partly paying, 117 free; outside institution, 298, viz., 156 paying, 4 partly paying, 138 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$6,757 36	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,563 94
From beneficiaries . . .	14,807 48	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	563 86
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,483 30	Provisions and supplies . . .	8,864 62
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	5,467 65	Heat, light, and power . . .	3,159 77
Income from investments . . .	3,605 31	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	2,118 86
Supplies, etc., sold . . .	586 02	Insurance . . .	560 16
For reinvestments . . .	2,292 86	Taxes . . .	153 16
		Miscellaneous . . .	295 24
		Total current expenses . . .	\$24,279 61
		Income invested . . .	10,646 66
		Cash on hand . . .	1,073 71
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	\$35,999 98		\$35,999 98

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$57,000; value of investments, \$66,675.70.

COHASSET.

BONNIE BAIRNS' ASSOCIATION, King St., Cohasset. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Howard Key Bartow, *President*; B. Preston Clark, *Secretary*; James Dean, *Treasurer*; Miss Florence E. Caldwell, *Head Nurse*.

To provide free medical and surgical treatment and country rest for sickly children, without regard to sex, color, nationality, or creed (from birth to three years of age).

Number of paid officers or employees, 18.

Number aided during year, 87.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$84 31	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,357 18
Subscriptions and donations	4,260 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	82 19
Interest	5 43	Provisions and supplies . .	1,406 86
		Heat, light, and power . .	75 99
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	488 47
		Railway fares parents, etc .	27 00
		Interest on premium . . .	12 00
		Interest on mortgage and final payment on mortgage	624 00
		Interest on loan and collection charges	3 43
		Outside board for one child	43 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$4,120 12
		Cash on hand	180 27
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	\$4,300 39		\$4,300 39

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,000.

CONCORD.

CONCORD FEMALE CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Concord. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending January 12, 1913.

Mrs. William Wheeler, *President*; Mrs. Walter S. Blanchard, *Secretary*; Mrs. Herbert W. Hosmer, *Treasurer*.

To relieve distress, encourage industry, and promote virtue and happiness among the female part of the community; especial attention given to the needs of poor children.

Number of families aided, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$27 11	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$1 80
From beneficiaries	200 00	Provisions and supplies . .	298 41
Subscriptions and donations	170 00	Concord Deaconess Hospital .	107 00
Income from investments . .	96 16	Miscellaneous	7 00
Assessments	162 00	Total current expenses . .	\$414 21
		Investments	200 00
		Cash on hand	41 06
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	\$655 27		\$655 27

Value of investments, \$2,600.

CONCORD'S HOME FOR THE AGED, Walden St., Concord. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

William Wheeler, *President*; Marion B. Keyes, *Secretary*; William H. Brown, *Treasurer*; Anna R. Miller, *Matron*.

Home for aged persons not less than sixty years of age, residents of Concord for at least five years; admission fee, \$100.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,047 73	Salaries and wages . . .	\$847 63
From beneficiaries . . .	705 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	21 55
Subscriptions and donations . . .	140 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	878 62
Income from investments . . .	2,427 30	Heat, light, and power . . .	201 87
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	117 15
		Labor and material, three new rooms . . .	940 71
		Miscellaneous . . .	58 08
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,065 61
		Income invested . . .	603 04
		Cash on hand . . .	651 38
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	\$4,320 03		\$4,320 03

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$55,677.69.

DALTON.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF DALTON, Carson Ave., Dalton. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Andrew J. Reed, *President*; Theodore M. Pomeroy, *Secretary*; John H. Bellows, *Treasurer*; Edward V. Ambler, *General Secretary*.

Moral, mental, physical, and religious betterment of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of members, 350.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$57 82	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,826 70
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,767 89	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	139 79
Miscellaneous . . .	455 76	Provisions and supplies . . .	17 52
		Heat, light, and power . . .	518 75
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	230 49
		Insurance . . .	166 35
		Miscellaneous . . .	352 26
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,251 86
		Cash on hand . . .	29 61
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	\$3,281 47		\$3,281 47

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$27,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$1,025.

DANVERS.

DANVERS HOME FOR THE AGED, 18 Park St., Danvers. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Mrs. L. Grace Creese, *President*; Harriet F. Whiting, *Secretary*;
George O. Stimpson, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Emma J. Fairfield, *Matron*.

To provide a home and care for aged persons over sixty-five.
Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$715 82	Salaries and wages . .	\$744 93
Subscriptions and donations	318 00	Provisions and supplies . .	441 40
Annuities and bequests to income	2,400 00	Heat, light, and power . .	222 75
Income from investments	935 71	Furnishings and incidental repairs	79 73
Dues	185 00	Taxes	33 60
Miscellaneous	104 89	Miscellaneous	144 52
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,666 93
		Income invested	2,309 57
		Cash on hand	682 92
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	\$4,659 42		\$4,659 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000; value of investments, \$23,627.96.

DANVERS VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, Danvers. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Mrs. George W. Towne, *President*; Miss Clara Putnam Hale, *Secretary*; Miss Isabel B. Tapley, *Treasurer*.

To assist those residents of Danvers who need the services of a trained nurse, and to encourage effort for the scientific care of the sick.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$199 05	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,628 54
From beneficiaries	317 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	92 08
Subscriptions and donations	1,039 25	Provisions and supplies . .	59 87
Metropolitan Insurance Company	311 33	Travel	34 50
Supplies	3 50	Miscellaneous	5 86
Sale of waste	69 21	Total current expenses . .	\$1,820 85
Entertainment	60 55	Cash on hand	188 43
Interest	8 69		<hr/>
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	\$2,009 28		\$2,009 28

Value of investments, \$677.92.

DEDHAM.

DEDHAM EMERGENCY NURSING ASSOCIATION, Dedham. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Alfred Hewins, *President*; Mrs. Erastus Worthington, *Secretary*; Mrs. Cornelius A. Taft, *Treasurer*.

To provide nurses for the poor and sick in Dedham.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 189, viz., 96 paying, 93 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$722 03	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,155 56
Subscriptions and donations	636 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3 00
Interest	67 81		
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,158 56
		Cash on hand	267 28
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	\$1,425 84		\$1,425 84

Value of investments, \$1,100.

DEDHAM TEMPORARY HOME FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN, Washington St., Dedham. (Incorporated 1863.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Miss Mary deF. Denny, *President*; Miss E. N. Converse, *Secretary*; Miss A. E. Wilson, *Treasurer*; Miss Lola Merriman, *Matron*.

To provide a temporary home where women, tired by their work or convalescing from an illness, may for a nominal sum obtain the rest that will enable them to return to their usual duties.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 281, viz., 123 paying, 157 partly paying, 1 free; outside institution, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,440 84	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,546 25
From beneficiaries	2,549 47	Printing, postage, and office supplies	83 45
Subscriptions and donations	666 90	Provisions and supplies . .	4,624 78
Income from investments	4,005 80	Advertising	4 80
Rent of land	155 00	Rent of safe	10 00
From entertainment and sale	143 80	Insurance	201 25
From principal account for improvement	500 00	Improvements and extraordinary repairs . .	950 94
Miscellaneous	11 95	Board paid for patient . .	29 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$8,450 47
		Cash on hand	1,023 29
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	\$9,473 76		\$9,473 76

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,800; value of investments, \$52,600.

EVERETT.

EVERETT HOME FOR AGED PERSONS, Everett. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending April 10, 1913.

John H. Stone, *President*; Paulina Freeman, *Secretary*; A. H. St. C. Chase, *Treasurer*.

To provide for the support of aged persons of the Protestant faith.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations .	\$286 15	Income invested . . .	\$598 07
Income from investments .	286 87		
	<u>\$598 07</u>		<u>\$598 07</u>

Value of investments, \$7,649.54.

Home not yet open.

NEW ENGLAND HOME FOR DEAF MUTES, 112 Fremont Ave., Everett. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Rev. A. Z. Conrad, D.D., *President*; Alden M. Cleveland, *Secretary*; Phineas Hubbard, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Alice M. Peart, *Matron*.

The care of aged, blind, or infirm deaf mutes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 13, viz., 5 partly paying, 8 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$65 03	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,225 00
From beneficiaries . . .	756 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	26 58
Subscriptions and donations .	2,060 50	Provisions and supplies . .	1,002 36
Miscellaneous . . .	675 11	Heat, light, and power . .	244 90
	<u>Total current receipts . .</u>	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	315 97
	\$3,556 89	Interest . . .	218 00
Loans to income . . .	150 00	Payments on mortgage . .	300 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	304 59
			<u>Total current expenses . .</u>
			\$3,637 40
		Cash on hand . . .	69 49
	<u>\$3,706 89</u>		<u>\$3,706 89</u>

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,750.

FAIRHAVEN.

FAIRHAVEN BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, Fairhaven. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. W. C. Stoddard, *President*; Georgia E. Fairfield, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To help the sick and needy.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 327; number of families aided, 70.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$308 51	Salaries	\$40 00
Subscriptions and donations	333 00	Clothing	24 77
Income from investments	381 60	Telephone	25 00
From ball	164 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3 45
		Provisions and supplies	23 28
		Boots and rubbers	44 04
		Coal	293 10
		Money	71 00
		Noon lunches	30 00
		Tubercular patient	11 62
		Medicine and nursing	97 55
		Milk, eggs, and board	62 75
		Miscellaneous	23 50
		Total current expenses	\$750 06
		Cash on hand	437 86
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	\$1,187 92		\$1,187 92

Value of investments, \$1,040.

THE LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Fairhaven. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Jennie Lewis, *President*; Mrs. Cora H. Blossom, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Relief of poor; general charitable and religious purposes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$78 01	Salaries and wages	\$2 65
Subscriptions and donations	11 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	7 25
Suppers and entertainment	94 83	Provisions and supplies	17 97
Miscellaneous	5 50	Heat, light, and power	2 20
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	35 79
		Material for sewing	6 26
		Flowers and fruit for the sick	13 23
		Coffee tank	4 50
		Home missionary	5 00
		Miscellaneous	9 80
		Total current expenses	\$104 65
		Cash on hand	84 94
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	\$189 59		\$189 59

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,230.

FALL RIVER.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF FALL RIVER, 84 North Main St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Philip E. Tripp, *President*; Miss Alice E. Wetherbee, *Secretary*; Oliver S. Hawes, *Treasurer*.

To secure the concurrent and harmonious action of the various charities of Fall River, in order to raise the poor above the need of relief, prevent begging and imposture, and diminish pauperism.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$674 13	Salaries and wages	\$1,025 00
Subscriptions and donations	1,074 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	169 23
Income from investments	46 19	Rent	240 00
Miscellaneous	17 03	Miscellaneous	96 66
		Total current expenses	\$1,530 89
		Cash on hand	280 46
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	\$1,811 35		\$1,811 35

Value of investments, \$1,800.

BISHOP STANG DAY NURSERY, Third St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Daniel F. Feehan, *President*; James H. Mahoney, *Secretary*; Rt. Rev. James E. Cassidy, *Treasurer*; Rev. Mother M. Therese, *Matron*.

The care of poor children during the day; also a milk station.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 327.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$66 34	Salaries and wages	\$791 50
From beneficiaries	3,213 68	Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 30
Subscriptions and donations	30 00	Provisions and supplies	1,001 40
Interest	7 38	Heat, light, and power	182 92
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	555 11
		Miscellaneous	10 98
		Total current expenses	\$2,555 21
		Cash on hand	762 19
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	\$3,317 40		\$3,317 40

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$45,000.

BOYS' CLUB OF FALL RIVER, 374 Anawan St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Bertram H. Borden, *President*; Walter I. Nichols, *Secretary*; James W. Bence, *Treasurer*; Thomas Chew, *Superintendent*.

To improve the moral, physical, and social nature of boys and young men by providing suitable games, libraries, baths, and gymnasiums.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year, 1,732.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$18 75	Salaries and wages . . .	\$7,080 93
From beneficiaries . . .	6,052 44	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	223 66
Subscriptions and donations . . .	5,222 56	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,217 15
Income from investments . . .	120 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,492 95
Miscellaneous . . .	800 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	749 94
		Insurance . . .	829 04
		Telephone . . .	78 05
		Water . . .	395 04
		Summer school . . .	24 65
		Miscellaneous . . .	122 34
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	\$12,213 75		\$12,213 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$250,000; value of investments, \$4,000.

CHILDREN'S HOME OF FALL RIVER, 427 Robeson St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1873.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Benjamin S. C. Gifford, *President*; Ellen M. Shove, *Secretary*; Oliver K. Hawes, *Treasurer*; Elizabeth T. Colburn, *Matron*.

To care for orphan or otherwise needy children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 104.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$822 64	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,507 73
From beneficiaries . . .	2,089 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	47 41
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,804 84	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,727 48
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	237 52	Heat, light, and power . . .	577 86
Income from investments . . .	5,358 94	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	781 08
		Clothing . . .	175 44
		Miscellaneous . . .	345 77
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$7,162 77
		Income invested . . .	3,754 99
		Cash on hand . . .	395 63
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	\$11,313 39		\$11,313 39

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; value of investments, \$112,063.06; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$5,000.

DAUGHTERS OF JACOB OF FALL RIVER, Quarry St., Fall River.
(Incorporated 1912.)

Fanny Slavitsky, *President*; Ester Sacknoff, *Secretary*; Sarah Leschinsky, *Treasurer*; Amy Espoten, *Superintendent*.

To help poor, sick, and needy.

Number aided outside of institution, 20; families aided, 20.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$80 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$5 00
From beneficiaries	10 00	To twenty poor families	35 00
Subscriptions and donations	25 00		
Dues	25 00	Total current expenses	\$40 00
		Cash on hand at end of year	100 00
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	\$140 00		\$140 00

DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION OF FALL RIVER, 374 Anawan St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

William B. Hayes, *President*; Daniel F. Sullivan, *Secretary*; William B. Lovell, *Treasurer*; Eugelia L. Eddy, *Superintendent*.

To provide trained nurses to visit sick persons in their homes and to instruct members of the household in the simple rules of hygiene.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 2,115, viz., 35 paying, 654 partly paying, 1,426 free; number of families aided, 1,370.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$369 13	Salaries and wages	\$2,305 90
Subscriptions and donations	1,728 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies	113 77
Income from investments	71 56	Provisions and supplies	253 26
Manufacturing corporations	4,472 40	Furnishings and incidental repairs	42 98
		Telephone	12 30
		Nurses' uniforms	192 75
		Car tickets	128 65
		Miscellaneous	18 96
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		Total current expenses	\$3,068 57
		Income invested	2,000 00
		Cash on hand	1,572 94
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	\$6,641 51		\$6,641 51

Value of investments, \$2,000.

**FALL RIVER ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS SOCIETY, 205 Globe Building,
41 North Main St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1908.)**

Report for year ending November 14, 1913.

Dr. George L. Richards, *President*; Dr. William W. Marvel, *Secretary*; Mrs. Patrick Kiernan, *Treasurer*.

To prevent tuberculosis, to better the conditions of persons suffering from it, and to promote their recovery.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 145.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$240 67	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,058 20
From beneficiaries . . .	2 07	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	49 61
Income from investments . . .	10 79	Provisions and supplies . . .	67 56
Sale of Red Cross seals . . .	873 32	Heat, light, and power . . .	12 33
Membership fees . . .	364 50	Red Cross seals . . .	153 96
		Car fare . . .	48 00
		Telephone . . .	44 89
		Miscellaneous . . .	22 45
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,457 00
		Cash on hand . . .	34 35
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	\$1,491 35		\$1,491 35

**FALL RIVER DEACONESS HOME, 825 Second St. and 29 Berkley St.,
Fall River. (Incorporated 1893.)**

Report for year ending May 14, 1913.

William P. Pritchard, M.D., *President*; Mrs. S. W. Gibbs, *Secretary*; Iram N. Smith, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary E. Williamson, *Acting Superintendent*.

Supports a home for deaconesses of the Methodist Episcopal Church, an industrial home for girls, an industrial school with classes in cooking, sewing, etc., and a fresh-air cottage at Oak Bluffs.

Number of paid employees, 13.

Number aided during year in institution, 36, viz., 3 paying, 7 partly paying, 26 free; outside institution, 800, viz., 53 paying, 348 partly paying, 399 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$74 51	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,040 73
From beneficiaries . . .	349 08	Printing, postage, and office supplies	54 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,502 29	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,357 70
Income from investments . . .	3,601 65	Heat, light, and power . . .	696 22
Loans repaid	102 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	787 57
Prizes in charity contest . . .	235 00	Laundry, telephone, ice, and car fare	412 05
Miscellaneous	14 01	Loaned	473 69
		Loans repaid and interest . . .	156 13
Total current receipts . . .	\$5,878 54	Deaconess Relief Association and general Deaconess Board	114 00
Loans to income	1,362 75	Miscellaneous	106 77
		Total current expenses . . .	\$7,199 36
		Cash on hand	41 93
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	\$7,241 29		\$7,241 29

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

FALL RIVER HEBREW WOMEN'S CHARITABLE INSTITUTION, Fall River. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Mrs. Rachel Silverstein, *President*; Mrs. Sarah Kline, *Secretary*; Mrs. Jennie Friedman, *Treasurer*.

To provide for the needy Hebrews of Fall River.

Number aided during year, 151.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$955 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	\$256 00
Subscriptions and dues . . .	315 00	Rent	12 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$268 00
		Cash on hand	1,002 00
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	\$1,270 00		\$1,270 00

FALL RIVER WOMEN'S UNION, 101 Rock St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending January 2, 1913.

Mrs. William H. Jennings, *President*; Mrs. Edward S. Adams, *Secretary*; Mrs. Charles C. Buffington, *Treasurer*; Miss Jessie M. Thomson, *Superintendent*.

A building for girls' clubs; classes in cooking, sewing, gymnasium, and restaurant. Provides lodging for women of limited means.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$265 99	Salaries and wages	\$1,902 87
From rent of rooms	2,627 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	22 85
Subscriptions and donations	516 00	Provisions and supplies	169 79
Income from investments	753 35	Board of employees	895 46
Working girls' club	143 00	Light and power	883 25
Employment bureau	39 42	Furnishings and incidental repairs	155 26
Social committee	239 25	Heating	357 04
E. S. Brown Company contest	35 00	Water	146 25
Special contributions for repairs	1,559 11	Telephone	66 70
Miscellaneous	35 52	Teachers	205 75
		Repairs	1,054 34
		Total current expenses	\$5,859 66
		Cash on hand	354 68
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	\$6,214 34		\$6,214 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$70,000; value of investments, \$19,100.

FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES OF MARY OF FALL RIVER, 621 Second St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending December 1, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Daniel F. Feehan, *President*; Sarah McCann, *Secretary*; Anna Jacques, *Treasurer*; Antonia Barreto, *Superior*.

Industrial school for girls; visiting and aiding the poor; assisting and caring for discharged female prisoners.

Number aided during year, 800; number of families aided, 150.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$283 25	Provisions and supplies	\$1,128 05
Subscriptions and donations	910 44	Rent	450 00
Miscellaneous	1,364 93	Heat, light, and power	172 55
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	141 69
		Help to poor	125 00
		Miscellaneous	237 30
		Total current expenses	\$2,254 59
		Cash on hand	304 03
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	\$2,558 62		\$2,558 62

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,000.

HEBREW LADIES' AID ASSOCIATION, Pearl St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending January 5, 1913.

Mrs. Fanny Callis, *President*; Mrs. Katziv, *Secretary*; Mrs. Sarah Levine, *Treasurer*.

To help the poor and needy of the Hebrew faith.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,200 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$24 00
Dues and entertainments . .	504 62	Rent	30 00
		Charity	450 62
		Total current expenses . .	\$504 62
		Cash on hand	1,200 00
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	\$1,704 62		\$1,704 62

HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, 1168 Highland Ave., Fall River. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending January 14, 1913.

Milton Reed, *President*; Louise L. Hathaway, *Secretary*; Edward S. Adams, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Emeline G. Francis, *Matron*.

To care for aged persons of good character not less than sixty-eight years of age who have resided in Fall River ten years. Entrance fee, \$200 and transfer of property.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 30.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$280 42	Salaries and wages . .	\$3,100 39
From beneficiaries . . .	1,175 00	Provisions and supplies . .	3,832 57
Subscriptions and donations .	2,438 00	Heat, light, and power . .	1,410 44
Income from investments . .	5,284 55	Furnishings and incidental repairs	744 90
Miscellaneous	1,170 03	Miscellaneous	954 71
		Total current expenses . .	\$10,043 01
		Income invested	179 99
		Cash on hand	125 00
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	\$10,348 00		\$10,348 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; value of investments, \$118,597.43.

RESCUE MISSION OF FALL RIVER, 63 Fourth St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Willard H. Poole, *President*; William A. Hart, *Secretary*; Edward B. Varney, *Treasurer*; John Chadwick, *Superintendent*.

To save from all vicious courses; to promote spiritual life; and to encourage all sound efforts at temperance reform.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year in institution, 585, viz., 100 paying, 485 free; outside institution, 1,860, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$29 44	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,331 83
From beneficiaries . . .	1,362 95	Printing, postage, and office supplies	70 45
From collection of waste paper and other salvage	3,706 88	Provisions and supplies . .	1,105 97
Lodging house	828 09	Rent	900 00
		Heat, light, and power . .	225 99
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	70 57
		Total current expenses . .	\$5,704 81
		Cash on hand	222 55
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	\$5,927 36		\$5,927 36

ST. ANNE'S HOSPITAL CORPORATION, 795 Middle St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mother Marguerite Philippe, *President* and *Matron*; Sister Ernestine Bourroux, *Secretary*; Sister Madeleine Lesage, *Treasurer*.

Hospital care for the sick and disabled.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 540, viz., 470 paying, 57 partly paying, 13 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$275 98	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,903 00
From beneficiaries . . .	17,909 61	Printing, postage, and office supplies	245 75
Subscriptions and donations	1,035 00	Provisions and supplies . .	9,775 00
The Mother House to purchase of land	4,398 00	Rent	1,754 25
Miscellaneous	25 40	Heat, light, and power . .	2,267 55
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,243 25
		Drugs and surgical supplies	1,200 00
		Purchase of land	4,398 00
		Miscellaneous	32 69
		Total current expenses . .	\$22,819 49
		Cash on hand	824 50
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	\$23,643 99		\$23,643 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$115,000.

ST. JOSEPH'S ORPHANAGE, 56 Bassett St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. D. F. Feehan, *President*; C. A. Casgrain, M.D., *Secretary*; Sister St. Gertrude, *Treasurer*; Rev. J. A. Prevost, P.A., *Superintendent*; Sister St. Mathilda, *Superior*.

Care and education of orphans and destitute children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year, 677, viz., 80 paying, 402 partly paying, 195 free; number of families aided, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$357 83	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,140 45
From beneficiaries . . .	21,606 23	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	82 21
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,430 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	9,237 01
Industries . . .	1,213 10	Insurance . . .	411 14
Miscellaneous . . .	1,266 99	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,951 01
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,618 42
		Clothing and bedding . . .	2,710 05
		Repairs and improvements . . .	3,596 33
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,508 91
		Total current expenses . . .	\$24,255 53
		Paid on capital . . .	2,000 00
		Cash on hand . . .	618 62
	<hr/> \$26,874 15		<hr/> \$26,874 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$135,000.

ST. VINCENT'S HOME CORPORATION OF FALL RIVER, 2860 North Main St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. D. F. Feehan, *President*; Rev. W. H. Curley, *Secretary*; Rev. T. P. Sweeney, *Treasurer*; Sister M. Benedict, *Superintendent*.

Care of orphans and neglected children between the ages of four and twelve. (Not taken from New Bedford.)

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 260, viz., 20 paying, 30 partly paying, 210 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,671 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$943 00
From beneficiaries . . .	2,003 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	30 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	12,011 11	Provisions and supplies . . .	6,363 53
Interest . . .	57 25	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,894 86
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	2,218 66
		Plumbing and supplies . . .	910 63
		Total current expenses . . .	\$12,360 68
		Cash on hand . . .	5,382 18
	<hr/> \$17,742 86		<hr/> \$17,742 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$76,000.

SEASIDE HOME OF FALL RIVER, 9 Riverview St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

James Marshall, *President*; Frank A. Pease, *Secretary*; Arthur P. Brayton, *Treasurer*; Miss E. L. Eddy, *Superintendent*.

Care of sick babies during the summer months.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

Number aided during year, 57.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$823 64	Salaries and wages . . .	\$847 63
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,035 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies	15 87
Income from investments . . .	71 39	Provisions and supplies . . .	294 37
Aid society	847 66	Heat, light, and power . . .	25 76
Lecture	451 95	Furnishings and incidental repairs	51 69
		Insurance	135 20
		Milk	104 94
		Miscellaneous	193 62
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,696 28
		Cash on hand	1,534 17
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	\$3,230 45		\$3,230 45

Value of investments, \$1,400.

**THE UNION HOSPITAL IN FALL RIVER, 538 Prospect St., Fall River.
(Incorporated 1900.)**

Report for year ending December 1, 1912.

Benjamin S. C. Gifford, *Vice President*; Arthur W. Allen, *Secretary*; George P. Brown, *Treasurer*; Anna E. E. Rothrock, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Relief of the sick and injured and the education of nurses.

Number of paid officers and employees, 25.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number aided during year, 3,316, viz., 2,047 paying, 586 partly paying, 683 free; number of families aided, 469.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,446 99	Salaries and wages . . .	\$17,088 16
From beneficiaries	40,738 80	Printing, postage, and office supplies	619 74
Subscriptions and donations . . .	164 65	Provisions and supplies . . .	15,645 08
Income from investments . . .	5,904 37	Social service	383 53
Nurses	498 01	Heat, light, and power . . .	4,528 52
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,937 27
		Transportation, etc. . . .	560 60
		Water	630 53
		Laundry expense	172 30
		Interest and insurance . . .	668 93
		Library	91 65
		Orthopedic expenses . . .	139 96
		Bad bills	3,207 20
		Total current expenses . .	\$46,673 47
		Income invested	398 55
		Cash on hand	2,680 80
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	\$49,752 82		\$49,752 82

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$21,110; value of investments, \$312,131.30.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF FALL RIVER, 199 North Main St., Fall River. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

A. J. Jennings, *President*; H. E. Dodge, *Secretary*; E. N. Slade, *Treasurer*.

Physical, mental, social, moral, and religious development of boys and men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$167 48	Salaries . . .	\$10,445 18
Memberships . . .	2,218 75	Billiards and pool . . .	556 12
Subscriptions . . .	4,656 50	Big meetings . . .	637 40
Lockers . . .	66 50	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,650 57
Towels . . .	178 14	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	1,219 10
Billiards and pool . . .	608 61	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	854 00
Night school fees . . .	325 50	Dormitory supplies . . .	367 76
Dormitory rooms . . .	6,571 85	Junior department . . .	203 42
Bowling . . .	22 15	Physical department . . .	563 81
Star course . . .	87 50	Social department . . .	297 46
Interest . . .	229 50	Educational department . . .	478 23
Loans . . .	5,793 33	Religious department . . .	150 16
Saturday populars . . .	18 61	Interest and insurance . . .	404 30
Miscellaneous . . .	100 65	Star course . . .	16 00
		Telephone and telegraph . . .	341 68
		Water . . .	506 80
		Boys' camp . . .	178 13
		Immigrant work . . .	9 50
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,242 74
		Total current expenses . . .	\$21,122 36
		Cash on hand . . .	38 81
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	\$21,161 17		\$21,161 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$125,000; value of investments, \$11,000.

FITCHBURG.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF FITCHBURG, 145 Main St., Fitchburg. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending September 29, 1913.

Robert S. Parks, *President*; Mrs. Charles W. Godfrey, *Secretary*; Ebenezer Bailey, *Treasurer*; Susan M. Turner, *General Secretary*.

To perform any work of charity or philanthropy that may be needed in the city of Fitchburg.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 435; number of families aided, 176.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$362 10	Salaries	\$760 00
From beneficiaries . .	26 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	267 95
Subscriptions and donations	2,363 14	Provisions and supplies	871 72
Income from investments	84 84	Rent	96 00
Miscellaneous	31 75	Miscellaneous	32 78
		Total current expenses	\$2,028 45
		Cash on hand	839 83
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	\$2,868 33		\$2,868 33

Value of investments, \$2,100.

BURBANK HOSPITAL, Nichols St., Fitchburg. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Hon. Frank O. Hardy, *Chairman*; Wilbur W. Henry, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*; Dr. Freeman A. Tower, *Superintendent*.

General hospital for all diseases. Patients taken without regard to color, nationality, race, or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 60.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$15,870 06	Salaries and wages	\$14,191 19
Board and care of patients	15,560 50	Provisions	7,489 67
City of Fitchburg	14,600 00	Fuel, heat, light, and power, including labor	5,580 32
Income	13,922 05	Housekeeping supplies	2,608 06
Radiographs and laboratory	979 50	Medical and surgical supplies	3,046 11
Free beds	800 00	Farm, labor, supplies, repairs, and additions	8,183 87
Sales of farm products	854 24	Printing, postage, telephone, office supplies	787 09
Sale of securities	17,475 00	Ambulance, labor, and maintenance	672 67
Transfer of accounts	513 75	Insurance and surety bonds	579 10
Miscellaneous	2,719 93	Commissions on collections	240 16
		Textbooks, medical books, and newspapers	197 05
		Repairs and maintenance of buildings, including labor	2,320 42
		Machinery and improvements	4,119 59
		Tuberculosis hospital furnishings	30,810 59
		Savings bank deposits	13 36
		Miscellaneous	322 62
		Total current expenses	\$81,066 87
		Cash on hand	2,228 16
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	\$83,295 03		\$83,295 03

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$232,153.53; value of investments, \$323,242.52.

FITCHBURG HELPING HAND ASSOCIATION, 25 Holt St., Fitchburg.
(Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Miss Mary L. Garfield, *President*; Mrs. Anna C. Leavens, *Secretary*; Mrs. Myrtie L. Gove, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Ellen McGrath, *Superintendent*.

Home for working women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 525, viz., 524 paying, 1 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$164 56	Salaries and wages	\$3,000 21
From beneficiaries	11,582 66	Provisions and supplies	5,259 13
Subscriptions and donations	317 81	Heat, light, and power	1,354 44
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,302 55
		Total current expenses	\$11,417 03
		Cash on hand	643 00
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	\$12,065 03		\$12,065 03

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$68,800.

FITCHBURG HOME FOR OLD LADIES, corner Cedar and Orange Sts., Fitchburg. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Dr. William H. Bennett, *President*; Miss Adelaide Z. McIntire, *Secretary*; Wilbur W. Henry, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Susie C. Stanley, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant women, sixty-five years of age, residents of Fitchburg for ten years. Admission fee, \$400 and conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 19.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$10,225 38	Wages	\$928 24
Admission fees	1,687 62	Provisions	1,302 87
Donations	517 50	Heat, light, including labor	768 63
Special accounts	2,071 14	Repairs	138 87
Income from investments . .	1,866 51	Nurse	301 34
Investments repaid	10,000 00	Medical supplies	54 75
Miscellaneous	13 47	Burials	115 00
		Insurance	80 00
		Street watering and sewer assessments	17 86
		Special accounts	2,274 43
		Paid inmates	72 40
		Miscellaneous	27 51
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		Total current expenses . .	\$6,081 90
		Investments	13,165 00
		Cash on hand	7,134 72
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	\$26,381 62		\$26,381 62

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$26,000; value of investments, \$38,772.12.

THE FITCHBURG UNION AID HOME FOR CHILDREN, 27 Holt St. Fitchburg. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Milton Cushing, *President*; Anna L. Dickinson, *Secretary*; Mrs. Herbert E. Jennison, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Abbie E. Demmon, *Matron*.

To assist poor and needy children of Fitchburg without restriction of race, color, or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 36, viz., 30 paying, 2 partly paying, 4 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$42 71	Salaries and wages	\$824 70
From beneficiaries	612 50	Provisions and supplies . .	433 78
Subscriptions and donations	1,044 99	Heat, light, and power . .	97 25
Bequest	58 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	144 07
Income from investments . .	101 26		
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		Total current expenses . .	\$1,499 80
		Income invested	98 82
		Cash on hand	261 34
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	\$1,859 96		\$1,859 96

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$2,114.86.

FRAMINGHAM.

HOME FOR AGED MEN AND WOMEN IN FRAMINGHAM, 1 Worcester St., Framingham. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending January 15, 1913.

Comer A. Belknap, *President*; Miss Ellen Hyde, *Secretary*; John H. Temple, *Treasurer*; Miss A. M. Grimes, *Matron*.

To furnish a home for indigent persons at least sixty years of age, residents of Framingham for at least ten years.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,854 07	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,524 42
From beneficiaries . .	1,100 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	30 85
Subscriptions and donations	1,875 23	Provisions and supplies . .	1,170 63
Annuities and bequests to income	100 00	Board of inmates	460 51
Income from investments .	1,923 93	Heat, light, and telephone .	829 02
Miscellaneous	31 90	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,009 27
Total current receipts .	\$7,885 13	Insurance and taxes . . .	223 00
Drawn from investments for reconstruction . .	10,389 52	Medical attendance and nursing	100 84
		Funeral expenses	98 00
		Allowance to inmates . .	110 71
		Total current expenses .	\$5,557 25
		Reconstruction	11,740 47
		Cash on hand	976 93
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	\$18,274 65		\$18,274 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,000; value of investments, \$28,031.75.

FRANKLIN.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF FRANKLIN, Dean Ave., Franklin. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Prof. A. W. Peirce, *President*; J. Morrison Clark, *Secretary*; William S. Richardson, *Treasurer*.

Physical, mental, and moral development of young men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of members, 316.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$638 91	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,849 96
Subscriptions and donations	795 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	143 80
Building fund pledges . .	320 75	Supplies	131 62
From memberships, etc. .	3,097 51	Heat, light, and power . .	678 79
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	488 45
		Interest	427 90
		Paid on notes	150 00
		Miscellaneous	883 52
		Total current expenses .	\$4,754 04
		Cash on hand	98 13
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	\$4,852 17		\$4,852 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$33,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,000.

GARDNER.

GARDNER HOME FOR ELDERLY PEOPLE, 162 Pearl St., Gardner. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Euclid L. Brooks, *President*; Edward P. Noyes, *Secretary*; Alee E. Knowlton, *Treasurer*; O. C. Lord, *Superintendent*.

Permanent home for elderly Protestant persons, natives of the United States, and at least fifty-five years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$201 34	Salaries and wages	\$651 25
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2 18
Income from investments	4,109 09	Provisions and supplies	677 31
		Water	54 00
		Heat, light, and power	348 50
		Furnishings, incidental repairs, and improvements	899 59
		Insurance	120 70
		Legal services	71 18
		Taxes	359 14
		Miscellaneous	24 45
		Total current expenses	\$3,208 25
		Income invested	1,340 00
		Cash on hand	262 18
	<hr/> \$4,810 43		<hr/> \$4,810 43

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; value of investments, \$78,763.50.

THE HENRY HEYWOOD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Green St., Gardner. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

John B. Edgell, *President*; Miss Helen R. Heywood, *Secretary and Treasurer*; Miss Marietta B. Barnaby, *Superintendent*.

Hospital purposes. No restrictions as to age, sex, color, nationality, or creed. Residents of Gardner have precedence, and they only are admitted as free patients if deemed advisable.

Number of paid officers or employees, 30.

Number aided during year, 624, viz., 587 paying, 14 partly paying, 23 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$920 52	Salaries and wages . .	\$16,758 77
From beneficiaries . .	16,529 22	Provisions and supplies . .	14,671 29
Subscriptions and donations	12,000 00	Heat, light, and power . .	4,494 86
Income from investments . .	12,353 28	Telephone . . .	331 80
Miscellaneous . . .	568 08	Surgeons . . .	900 00
		Insurance . . .	682 62
		Printing . . .	90 48
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,187 42
		Total current expenses . .	\$39,117 24
		Cash on hand . . .	3,253 86
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	\$42,371 10		\$42,371 10

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,000; value of investments, \$209,098.74.

GEORGETOWN.

CARLETON HOME, TRUSTEES OF THE, North St., Georgetown. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Edward A. Chaplin, *President*; Lawrence L. Chaplin, *Secretary*;
Harry E. Perkins, *Treasurer*; Mary J. Terry, *Matron*.

To maintain a home for the aged poor of both sexes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$150 47	Salaries and wages . .	\$313 40
From beneficiaries . .	78 15	Provisions and supplies . .	97 82
Subscriptions and donations	10 00	Taxes . . .	51 05
Income from investments . .	1,454 32	Heat, light, and power . .	100 32
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	11 53
		Insurance . . .	68 66
		Funeral expenses . . .	44 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	7 72
		Total current expenses . .	\$694 50
		Income invested . . .	548 27
		Cash on hand . . .	450 17
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	\$1,692 94		\$1,692 94

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,400; value of investments, \$32,900.

GLOUCESTER.

ADDISON GILBERT HOSPITAL, 298 Washington St., Gloucester. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Fred A. Barker, *President*; Fred A. Shackelford, *Secretary*;
Horace A. Smith, *Treasurer*; Miss Julia M. Leach, *Superintendent*.

To furnish medical and surgical aid to inhabitants of Gloucester, and in cases of emergency to others, according to the will of the late Addison Gilbert.

Number of paid officers or employees, 25.

Number aided during year, 336, viz., 231 paying, 37 partly paying, 68 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$134 02	Salaries and wages . .	\$7,251 64
Care of patients, nurses' services	7,499 24	Provisions and supplies . .	6,210 77
Subscriptions and donations	445 64	Heat, light, and power . .	2,768 20
Income from investments	7,570 44	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,142 19
Notes	5,500 00	Medical and surgical supplies	1,715 05
		Insurance	330 00
		Interest on notes	275 00
		Accrued interest on bonds . .	248 82
		Total current expenses . .	\$20,941 67
		Cash on hand	207 67
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	\$21,149 34		\$21,149 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$153,235.54.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF GLOUCESTER, 88 Middle St., Gloucester.
(Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

Dr. S. P. F. Cook, *President*; Fred A. Shackelford, *Secretary*;
Edward Dolliver, *Treasurer*.

To help others to help themselves.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Employs a collector on commission occasionally.

Number of families aided during year, 120.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$490 55	Salaries and wages	\$484 29
Subscriptions and donations	291 22	Printing, postage, and office supplies	93 35
Annuities and bequests to income	200 00	Telephone	33 70
Income from investments	56 31	Chisholm fund	655 00
Trustees Chisholm fund	755 92	Tuberculosis fund	191 24
Tuberculosis fund	182 06	Miscellaneous	16 35
Miscellaneous	25	Total current expenses . .	\$1,478 93
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	497 33
	\$1,976 31		<hr/>
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Value of investments, \$1,250; value of investments held by trustees for benefits of society, \$5,000.

THE GILBERT HOME FOR AGED AND INDIGENT PERSONS, 1 Western Ave., Gloucester. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Allan Rogers, *President*; Daniel T. Babson, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mary Williams, *Matron*.

Home for aged and indigent persons not under sixty years of age, citizens or inhabitants of the city of Gloucester.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$218 54	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,886 00
From beneficiaries . . .	324 75	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,242 44
Income from investments . . .	3,673 69	Heat, light, and power . . .	424 83
Investments paid . . .	1,224 54	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	406 59
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,959 86
		Income invested . . .	333 40
		Reinvestments . . .	992 36
		Cash on hand . . .	155 90
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	\$5,441 52		\$5,441 52

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,030.53; value of investments, \$82,005.04.

GLOUCESTER FEMALE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION, 83 Middle St., Gloucester. (Incorporated 1872.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Mrs. William H. Jordan, *President*; Mrs. Joseph O. Proctor, *Secretary*; Mrs. Edward P. Ring, *Treasurer*.

Rendering aid to worthy poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of families aided, 123.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,213 47	Salaries and wages . . .	\$240 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	6 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	4 93
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	2,089 62	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,173 36
Income from investments . . .	707 89	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	6 35
Members' dues . . .	15 00		
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,424 69
		Cash on hand . . .	1,608 04
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	\$4,032 73		\$4,032 73

Value of investments, \$21,210.20.

GLOUCESTER FISHERMAN'S INSTITUTE, 8 Duncan St., Gloucester.
(Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912:

Charles F. Wonson, *President*; John J. Pew, *Secretary*; Orlando Merchant, *Treasurer*.

For improving conditions of fishermen and seamen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 3,000, viz., 1,000 partly paying, 2,000 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,019 14	Salaries and wages	\$2,269 95
Subscriptions and donations	3,833 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies	221 76
Income from investments	1,435 00	Heat, light, and power	565 99
Room receipts	1,570 83	Furnishings and incidental repairs	205 48
Rents	363 00	New front	865 73
Moorland Dramatic Club	109 00	Miscellaneous	1,666 00
Turks Head Inn (bazaar)	106 00		
Village Church, Magnolia	35 35	Total current expenses	\$5,794 91
Concert	95 55	Income invested	575 00
		Cash on hand	2,197 01
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	\$8,566 92		\$8,566 92

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$30,391.57.

GLOUCESTER FISHERMEN'S AND SEAMEN'S WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' AID SOCIETY, Gloucester. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending January, 1913.

Sylvanus Smith, *President*; John J. Pew, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To help sick Gloucester fishermen, and the widows and children of those lost at sea.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 87.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$103 72	Salaries and wages	\$255 00
Subscriptions and donations	824 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3 00
Income from investments	2,270 97	To beneficiaries	2,941 34
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	\$3,199 34		\$3,199 34

Value of investments, \$67,694.62.

HUNTRESS HOME, 110 Prospect St., Gloucester. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Harry C. Foster, *President*; John J. Somes, *Secretary*; Edward Dolliver, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Lydia A. Marston, *Matron*.

Home for old ladies over sixty years of age, natives of Gloucester.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$1,425 08	Salaries and wages . . .	\$716 00
Income from investments .	1,629 72	Provisions and supplies .	912 25
From trustees, Tufts charity fund	366 00	Heat, light, and power .	355 78
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	179 01
		New England Telephone and Telegraph Company . .	28 65
		Milk	145 76
		Water	50 00
		Insurance	120 00
		Miscellaneous	117 95
		Total current expenses .	\$2,625 40
		Income invested	795 40
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	\$3,420 80		\$3,420 80

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$13,000.

WOMEN'S CLUBHOUSE ASSOCIATION OF MAGNOLIA, Shore Rd. (Magnolia), Gloucester. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

George A. Upton, *President*; Rev. Walter A. Eaton, D.D., *Secretary*; Ethel P. May, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Harry C. Foster, *Matron*.

To furnish a meeting place, entertainment facilities, and lodging to women employed in Magnolia during the summer at the hotels and summer residences.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 304, viz., 287 paying, 17 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$278 66	Salaries and wages	\$303 00
Subscriptions and donations	75 58	Printing, postage, and office supplies	21 56
Room rents, rent of hall, and piano	568 00	Provisions and supplies	13 43
Season membership dues	215 25	Heat, light, and power	98 61
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	138 13
		Laundry and water	75 57
		Telephone and music	62 28
		Balance of note	175 00
		Miscellaneous	107 15
		Total current expenses	\$994 73
		Cash on hand	142 76
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	\$1,137 49		\$1,137 49

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,565.11.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF GLOUCESTER, 71 Middle St., Gloucester. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Reuben Brooks, *President*; Fred E. Gale, *Clerk*; Hon. Isaac Patch, *Treasurer*; Milo F. Brown, *General Secretary*.

Development of Christian manhood in men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number of members, 660.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$257 63	Salaries and wages	\$4,269 10
Subscriptions and donations	5,665 16	Heat, light, and power	1,531 52
From departments	561 83	Furnishings and incidental repairs	370 22
From memberships	1,082 30	Bills of previous year	1,673 32
From dormitory	1,420 32	Departments	849 54
Halls	145 50	Miscellaneous	877 68
Miscellaneous	523 66		
Total current receipts	\$9,656 40	Total current expenses	\$9,571 38
Public subscriptions to pay mortgage	21,020 00	Paid on mortgage	21,020 00
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	85 02
	\$30,676 40		<hr/>
			\$30,676 40

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$80,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,500.

GREAT BARRINGTON.

FAIRVIEW HOSPITAL, West Ave., Great Barrington. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Parley A. Russell, *President*; Harry Douglas, *Secretary*; John H. C. Church, *Treasurer*; Mary J. Flynn, *Superintendent*.

Hospital and training school.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$50,000 00	Wages	\$187 75
Income from investments . .	623 50	Furnishings and incidental	
Subscriptions	36 00	repairs	225 85
Sale of hay	25 00	Miscellaneous	500 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$913 60
		Income invested	49,400 00
		Cash on hand	370 90
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	\$50,684 50		\$50,684 50

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,000; value of investments, \$50,000.

Hospital not yet opened.

GREENFIELD.

FRANKLIN COUNTY PUBLIC HOSPITAL, corner of High and Sanderson Sts., Greenfield. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for ten months ending December 31, 1912.

Levi J. Gunn, *President*; Miss Eliza B. Leonard, *Secretary*; Frank J. Lawler, *Treasurer*; Anna M. Sweeney, *Superintendent*.

Care of sick and injured persons, and the training of young women as nurses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 29.

Number aided during year, 442, viz., 431 paying, 1 partly paying, 10 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,520 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,333 47
From beneficiaries . .	10,785 27	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	430 39	supplies	200 47
Annuities and bequests to		Provisions and supplies . .	4,056 65
income	5,847 50	Rent	134 57
Income from investments . .	197 24	Heat, light, and power . .	1,782 75
Medical and surgical sup-		Furnishings and incidental	
plies	633 90	repairs	638 31
Special nursing	125 80	Medical and surgical sup-	
Miscellaneous	307 51	plies	1,368 23
		Telephone and transporta-	
		tion	197 91
		Miscellaneous	538 40
		Total current expenses . .	\$13,250 76
		Income invested	5,000 00
		Cash on hand	1,596 85
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	\$19,847 61		\$19,847 61

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$75,000.

GREENWICH.

HILLSIDE SCHOOL, Greenwich. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending June 25, 1913.

Franklin P. Shumway, *President*; Mary E. Warren, *Secretary*;
Charlotte V. Drinkwater, *Treasurer*.

A Christian and industrial school for homeless, orphan, or neglected children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year in institution, 52, viz., 36 partly paying, 6 free; outside institution, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$246 24	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,215 06
From beneficiaries . . .	2,571 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	97 59
Subscriptions and donations . . .	8,038 33	Provisions and supplies . . .	4,220 96
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,344 87
		Taxes . . .	168 92
		Note and interest . . .	215 30
		Barn . . .	543 24
		Total current expenses . . .	\$10,805 94
		Cash on hand . . .	49 63
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	\$10,855 57		\$10,855 57

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,000.

HANSON.

MASSACHUSETTS BRANCH OF THE INTERNATIONAL ORDER OF THE KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS (GORDON REST), corner Indian Head and Maquan St., Hanson. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. M. Wheatie Farley, *President*; Miss Susan R. Brokenshire, *Treasurer*.

Summer vacation home for working women and girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during summer, 200; number of transients, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$630 28	Salaries and wages	\$616 93
From beneficiaries	2,012 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	11 53
Subscriptions and donations	753 93	Provisions and supplies	1,517 69
Income from investments	12 03	Heat, light, and power	36 00
Rebates on laundry, supplies, and shingling	51 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs	333 13
Miscellaneous	56 16	Laundry	117 68
		Telephone	56 52
		Express	71 57
		Insurance and fire department	35 19
		Miscellaneous	66 34
		Total current expenses	\$2,862 58
		Income invested (endowment fund)	334 28
		Cash on hand	319 57
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	\$3,516 43		\$3,516 43

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$334.28.

HAVERHILL.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF HAVERHILL, 50 Merrimack St., Haverhill.
(Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Dr. F. W. Anthony, *President*; George I. Davis, *Secretary*; Miss Mary P. Merrill, *Treasurer*; Dr. Marion Curtis Littlefield, *Executive Secretary*.

For the purpose of securing the concurrent and harmonious action of the different charities of Haverhill, raising the poor above the need of relief, and diminishing pauperism.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number of families aided, 171.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$0 89	Salaries and wages	\$879 50
Subscriptions and donations	1,281 91	Printing, postage, office supplies, and telephone	90 51
		Provisions and supplies	34 60
		Rent	220 00
		Heat, light, and power	11 50
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	33 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,274 11
		Cash on hand	8 69
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	\$1,282 80		\$1,282 80

HALE HOSPITAL, Buttonwood Ave., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edwin H. Moulton, *President*; C. Archie Horne, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Miss Emma A. Mortimer, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Medical and surgical treatment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 39.

Number aided during year, 702, viz., 482 paying, 80 partly paying, 140 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$824 57	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,323 93
From beneficiaries . . .	19,397 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	833 27
Subscriptions and donations . . .	8,807 33	Provisions and supplies . . .	11,008 27
Income from investments . . .	4,391 94	Insurance . . .	750 00
Miscellaneous . . .	446 45	Heat, light, and power . . .	4,292 04
<hr/>		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	3,437 66
Total current receipts . . .	\$33,868 26	Medical and surgical supplies . . .	3,240 58
Withdrawn from invested funds . . .	4,000 00	Water and ice . . .	574 32
<hr/>		Miscellaneous . . .	1,480 56
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$34,940 63
		Income invested . . .	190 63
		Cash on hand . . .	2,737 00
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	\$37,868 26		\$37,868 26

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$90,217.35; value of investments, \$87,870.32.

HAVERHILL BOYS' CLUB ASSOCIATION, 11 Washington St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Ransom C. Pingree, *President*; Walter F. Sayward, *Secretary*; Albert L. Sawyer, *Treasurer*; Edward D. Bailey, *Superintendent*.

A work for boys with limited opportunities.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 1,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$40 55	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,344 00
From beneficiaries . . .	109 69	Printing, postage, and office supplies	108 22
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,667 88	Provisions and supplies . . .	93 17
Income from investments . . .	40 00	Rent	420 00
Special donations	446 11	Heat, light, and power . . .	82 39
Loan	200 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	60 31
Entertainments	211 60	Insurance	14 25
		Interest	10 39
		Loan repaid	300 00
		Industrial work	158 85
		Miscellaneous	12 75
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,604 33
		Cash on hand	111 50
	<hr/> \$2,715 83		<hr/> \$2,715 83

HAVERHILL CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY, 50 Merrimack St., Haverhill.
(Incorporated 1866.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. W. C. Lewis, *President*; Mrs. J. Wallace Allen, *Secretary*;
Miss Sarah M. Kelly, *Treasurer*; Miss Gertrude E. Merrill, *Superintendent*.

Care of destitute and homeless children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 37.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$657 54	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,460 34
From beneficiaries . . .	2,874 09	Printing, postage, and office supplies	221 29
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,177 50	Supplies	661 25
Income from investments . . .	3,225 74	Rent	300 00
Savings bank	1,000 00	Light	11 85
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	10 83
		Taxes	26 08
		Manager's traveling expenses . . .	129 05
		Deposit	400 00
		Board of children	5,553 08
		Miscellaneous	30 95
		Total current expenses . . .	\$8,804 72
		Cash on hand	130 15
	<hr/> \$8,934 87		<hr/> \$8,934 87

Value of investments, \$77,351.52.

HAVERHILL FEMALE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, City Hall, Main St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1854.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Sarah J. Bartlett, *President*; Carolyn E. Wilson, *Secretary*; Eva F. Howes, *Treasurer*.

To help the worthy poor of Haverhill.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number of families aided, 1,750.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$39 98	Salaries and wages . . .	\$300 00
Subscriptions and donations	85 36	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 43
Income from investments	2,878 66	Provisions and supplies	2,606 60
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,918 43
		Cash on hand	135 57
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	\$3,054 00		\$3,054 00

Value of investments, \$29,336.16.

HAVERHILL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 75 Main St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending May 13, 1913.

W. D. Stearns, *President*; George T. Parker, *Secretary*; Charles H. Clark, *Treasurer*; B. W. Gillett, *General Secretary*.

The development of the spiritual, mental, and physical condition of men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 1,500, viz., 550 paying, 950 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$49 87	Salaries and wages	\$5,668 53
Subscriptions and donations	2,682 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	863 94
Membership fees	1,576 25	Heat, light, and power	1,189 26
Rent of dormitories	3,912 55	Miscellaneous	1,686 28
Miscellaneous	1,216 29	Total current expenses . . .	\$9,413 01
		Cash on hand	23 95
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	\$9,436 96		\$9,436 96

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$65,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$7,000.

HAVERHILL YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 107 Winter St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending April 29, 1913.

Mrs. Ada T. Wells, *President*; Mrs. Frank Bean, *Secretary*; Mrs. Bertha M. Yeaton, *Treasurer*; Miss Lilla A. Clark, *General Secretary*.

The physical, mental, moral, and spiritual welfare of women, particularly of young women who are dependent upon their own exertions for support.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, about 200.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$290 38	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,357 97
Subscriptions and donations	354 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	161 64
Income from investments	68 25	Provisions and supplies	5,889 46
Miscellaneous	14,933 91	Heat, light, and power	777 70
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	268 86
		Miscellaneous	4,049 38
		Total current expenses	\$15,505 01
		Cash on hand	141 53
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	\$15,646 54		\$15,646 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$13,350; value of investments, \$666; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$4,075.

OLD LADIES' HOME ASSOCIATION, 119 Main St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1856.)

Report for year ending May 16, 1913.

Miss Caroline D. Cogswell, *President*; Miss Sarah P. Cogswell, *Secretary*; Miss Susie M. Hall, *Treasurer*; Miss Hattie M. Smith, *Matron*.

Home for worthy American women at least seventy years of age, residents of Haverhill for the ten years previous to admittance. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,101 12	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,547 70
From beneficiaries	284 47	Administrative expenses	224 80
Subscriptions and donations	2,792 00	Provisions and supplies	2,276 85
Annuities and bequests	2,000 00	Heat, light, and power	818 01
Income from investments	3,891 99	Furnishings and incidental repairs	615 50
Admission fees	800 00	Telephone and insurance	67 83
Membership dues	297 00	Medical attendance, etc. . . .	268 95
Miscellaneous	238 64	Burial expense	221 69
		Clothing	87 84
		Miscellaneous	257 58
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Total current receipts	\$15,405 22	Total current expenses	\$7,386 75
Withdrawn from bank	973 19	Income invested	8,951 25
		Cash on hand	40 41
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	\$16,378 41		\$16,378 41

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; value of investments, \$103,644.

SOCIAL CIRCLE OF PORTLAND STREET CHURCH, Portland St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. H. C. Tanner, *President*; Mrs. Elmer C. Pickering, *Secretary*; Mrs. W. B. Lewis, *Treasurer*.

Benevolence and charity to church and charitable organizations.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$187 64	Benevolence . . .	\$60 00
Income from investments . . .	6 37	Church . . .	154 00
Dues . . .	37 08	Miscellaneous . . .	250 94
Sales . . .	230 93		
Miscellaneous . . .	6 15	Total current expenses . . .	\$464 94
		Cash on hand . . .	3 23
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	\$468 17		\$468 17

Value of investments, \$179.10.

YOUNG WOMEN'S BUILDING ASSOCIATION, 64 Pecker St., Haverhill. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Anna M. M. Brooks, *President*; Miss Anna M. Pearl, *Secretary*; Mrs. Hazel M. Howe, *Treasurer*; Miss Jennie A. Osgood, *Matron*.

To support a day nursery; to maintain the services of two district nurses and an employment bureau.

Number of paid employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 4,000, viz., 3,725 paying, 200 partly paying, 75 free; outside institution, 2,534, viz., 2,000 paying, 457 partly paying, 77 free; number of families aided, 2,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$4,956 25	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,230 05
From beneficiaries . . .	1,847 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	88 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	25 10	Provisions and supplies . . .	679 10
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	300 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	231 21
Income from investments . . .	184 15	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	57 20
Dues and fines . . .	191 70	Telephone . . .	47 64
Supper . . .	196 65	Water, ice, taxes . . .	24 61
Annual fair . . .	1,053 47	Hall rent for fair (two years) . . .	60 00
Musical . . .	50 00	Drugs and merchandise . . .	107 73
Rubber sales . . .	6 10		
Miscellaneous . . .	2 15	Total current expenses . . .	\$3,526 04
	<hr/>	Cash on hand . . .	5,287 34
	\$8,813 38		<hr/>
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Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,500.

HOLYOKE.

HOLYOKE BOYS' CLUB ASSOCIATION, 100 Race St., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Fred S. Webber, *President*; William A. Allyn, *Secretary*; Frank G. Willcox, *Treasurer*; George W. King, *Superintendent*.

Providing for the social enjoyment and improvement of boys, and furnishing them with industrial training.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, about 800 paying, and about 100 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,774 46	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,340 35
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,067 13	Printing, postage, supplies, heat, light, power, furnishings, and incidental repairs . . .	937 67
Income from investments . . .	32 20	Mortgage note . . .	6,000 00
Net income from real estate . . .	940 90		
Net income from industries . . .	32 22		
		Total current expenses . . .	\$9,278 02
		Income invested . . .	2,441 24
		Cash on hand . . .	1,127 65
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	\$12,846 91		\$12,846 91

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,280; value of investments, \$10,881.24.

HOLYOKE CITY HOSPITAL, Beech St., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William F. Whiting, *President*; Edward N. White, *Secretary*; Frank B. Towne, *Treasurer*; Miss Ethel M. Doherty, *Matron*.

For treating the sick at a low cost.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7 (not including pupil nurses).

Number aided during year in institution, 1,416, all paying.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand . . .	\$25 75	Salaries and wages . . .	\$13,120 67
From beneficiaries . . .	36,320 77	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	880 18
Subscriptions and donations . . .	11,118 75	Provisions and supplies . . .	28,992 50
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	100 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	5,704 06
Income from investments . . .	2,644 36	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,405 68
Total current receipts . . .	\$50,209 63	Total current expenses . . .	\$50,103 09
Endowment fund . . .	60,076 10	Endowment fund invested . . .	60,176 10
		Cash on hand . . .	6 54
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	\$110,285 73		\$110,285 73

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$155,000; value of investments, \$60,176.10.

HOLYOKE HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Morgan St., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Elvira F. Ball, *President*; Jennie L. Miner, *Secretary*; Florence D. Merrick, *Treasurer*; Elizabeth Dunn, *Matron*.

Home for women at least sixty-five years of age, residents of Holyoke. Admission fee, \$500.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$854 69	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,185 00
From beneficiaries . .	2,312 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	31 75
Subscriptions and donations	1,165 33	Provisions and supplies . .	1,385 42
Annuities and bequests to income	5,947 80	Heat, light, and power . .	930 29
Income from investments .	2,521 20	Furnishings and incidental repairs	196 88
Yearly dues	494 00	Sickness and burial . . .	182 51
Miscellaneous	273 31	Repairs	150 10
		Miscellaneous	96 14
		Total current expenses . .	\$5,158 09
		Income invested	4,478 65
		Cash on hand	3,931 59
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	\$13,568 33		\$13,568 33

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, about \$40,000; value of investments, \$40,000.

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE (BEAVEN-KELLY HOME), Springfield Rd., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Sister Mary Agatha, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Teresa, *Superintendent*.

The maintenance of aged and infirm men.

Number of paid employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 50, viz., 36 paying, 5 partly paying, 9 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$29 41	Salaries and wages . . .	\$630 66
From beneficiaries . .	5,797 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	29 65
Subscriptions and donations	868 88	Provisions and supplies . .	4,228 04
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Heat, light, and power . .	1,417 89
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	757 13
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,063 37
		Cash on hand	132 62
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	\$7,195 99		\$7,195 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000.

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE (BRIGHTSIDE ORPHANS' HOME), Springfield Rd., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Sister Mary Agatha, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Mother Mary Vincent, *Matron*.

The care and education of boys, whether orphaned, destitute, or otherwise needy; also an infant asylum; (Bethlehem Home).

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 380, viz., 260 paying, 80 partly paying, 40 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$361 07	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,183 85
From beneficiaries . .	20,358 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	147 45
Subscriptions and donations	948 80	Provisions and supplies . .	13,224 67
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Heat, light, and power . .	1,308 80
Sale of live stock	964 65	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,572 82
Total current receipts . .	\$23,132 97	Interest on mortgage . .	3,190 50
Loans to income	20,000 00	Increase of mortgage for purchase of real estate . .	16,500 00
		On new laundry contracts . .	3,500 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$42,628 09
		Cash on hand	504 88
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	\$43,132 97		\$43,132 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$141,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$90,000.

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE (HOUSE OF PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL AND FATHER HARKINS' HOME FOR AGED WOMEN), 678 Dwight St., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Sister Mary Agatha, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Anthony, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of medical, surgical, and obstetrical patients. Separate building for home for aged women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 1,495; viz., 1,339 paying, 42 partly paying, 114 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$6,134 39	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,869 86
From beneficiaries . .	34,644 76	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	348 57
Subscriptions and donations	167 50	Provisions and supplies . .	17,180 76
Annuities and bequests to income	1,124 00	Heat, light, and power . .	4,598 50
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,955 60
		Miscellaneous	43 75
		Total current expenses .	\$29,997 04
		Deposited in building fund	10,000 00
		Cash on hand	2,073 61
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	\$42,070 65		\$42,070 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$75,000.

**SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE (MT. ST. VINCENT HOME FOR GIRLS),
Springfield Rd., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1892.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Sister Mary Agatha, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Assumpta, *Superintendent*.

Home for orphan girls; nonsectarian.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 180, viz., 131 paying, 40 partly paying, 11 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$17 51	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,070 35
From beneficiaries . .	10,444 81	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	66 11
Subscriptions and donations	1,087 09	Provisions and supplies . .	5,830 71
Annuities and bequests to income	500 00	Heat, light, and power . .	1,737 44
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,699 17
		Insurance	405 00
		Miscellaneous	68 38
		Total current expenses .	\$11,877 16
		Cash on hand	172 25
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	\$12,049 41		\$12,049 41

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$65,000.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION (BOARDING HOME),
313 Maple St., Holyoke. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Mrs. James H. Newton, *President*; Miss Maude S. Tomlin, *Secretary*; Mrs. Frank D. Heywood, *Treasurer*; Miss N. Josephine Sweet, *Matron*.

To provide a good home for self-supporting young women at cost.
 Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$50 51	Salaries and wages	\$2,398 69
Rents	2,496 37	Printing, postage, and office supplies	20 15
Board	6,178 59	Provisions and supplies	4,497 18
Laundry	47 95	Heat, light, and power	493 26
Administration	342 19	Furnishings and incidental repairs	433 84
Miscellaneous	73 00	Laundry	179 35
		Water rent	33 60
		Telephone	15 30
		Miscellaneous	86 07
		Total current expenses	\$9,157 44
		Cash on hand	31 17
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	\$9,188 61		\$9,188 61

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 315 Maple St., Holyoke.
(Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Mrs. James H. Newton, *President*; Miss Louise Underwood, *Secretary*; Mrs. F. D. Heywood, *Treasurer*; Miss Sweet, *Matron*.

The moral, spiritual, physical, and intellectual development of girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number of members, 948.

Dr.		Cr.	
Subscriptions and donations	\$2,260 69	Salaries and wages	\$2,940 43
Income from investments	500 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	77 46
Memberships	251 00	Provisions and supplies	205 55
Class fees	833 87	Heat, light, and power	1,223 40
Rent of rooms, chairs and telephone	337 93	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,189 31
Miscellaneous	518 08	Telephone and insurance	466 55
		Water rent	15 51
		Miscellaneous	162 81
Total current receipts	\$4,751 57		
Fire adjustment	1,072 74		
Loans to income	456 71		
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	\$6,281 02		\$6,281 02

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$55,000; value of investments, \$10,000.

IPSWICH.

COBURN CHARITABLE SOCIETY, North Main St., Ipswich. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

William A. Donald, *President* and *Treasurer*; Malcolm Donald, *Clerk*; Martha J. Stewart, *Matron* and *Visiting Nurse*.

To provide a home for needy and worthy persons, natives and residents (or residents) of Ipswich, of both sexes, not under sixty years of age, and to supply the poor of Ipswich with medical attendance, nurses, and medicines.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year in institution, 4; outside institution, 273, viz., 46 paying, 227 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,810 42	Salaries and wages in laundry . . .	\$2,658 16
From beneficiaries . . .	104 55	Printing, postage, office supplies, and express . . .	98 60
Income from investments . . .	7,706 81	Provisions and supplies . . .	839 77
Miscellaneous . . .	40 00	Telephone . . .	66 19
		Heat, light, and power . . .	367 30
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	84 20
		Medical attendance, nurses, etc. . . .	365 35
		Annual reports . . .	102 70
		Preparing and planting grounds . . .	153 52
		Water and ice . . .	71 10
		Miscellaneous . . .	91 53
		Total current expenses . . .	\$4,898 42
		Income invested . . .	4,205 46
		Cash on hand . . .	557 90
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	\$9,661 78		\$9,661 78

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,400; value of investments, \$187,060.38.

IPSWICH HOSPITAL, Ipswich. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending July 1, 1913.

Francis Randall Appleton, *President*; John Silsbee Lawrence, *Secretary*; Thomas Franklin Waters, *Treasurer*.

Eventually to establish and maintain a hospital, but at present the maintenance of an ambulance service to convey sick and injured to hospitals in Salem, Beverly, etc., free of expense to all unable to pay.

Number aided during year, 41, viz., 9 paying, 32 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$22 25	Operating ambulance . .	\$211 50
From beneficiaries . .	66 00	Housing ambulance . .	48 00
Subscriptions and donations .	380 00	Insuring ambulance . .	32 00
		Report of sanitary engineer on a system of sewerage .	200 00
Total current receipts .	\$468 25		
Loans to income . . .	23 25		
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	\$491 50		\$491 50

LANCASTER.

CHARITABLE FUND IN THE TOWN OF LANCASTER, Lancaster. (Incorporated 1851.)

Report for year ending March 2, 1913.

Abbott Peterson, *President*; W. H. Blood, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Aid to needy widows and spinsters, residents of Lancaster.

Number aided during year, 26.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$715 72	Cash donations . . .	\$495 00
Income from investments .	542 00	Miscellaneous . . .	47 75
		Cash on hand . . .	714 97
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	\$1,257 72		\$1,257 72

Value of investments, \$11,795.69.

NATHANIEL THAYER PLAYGROUND ASSOCIATION, Lancaster. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. Pauline R. Thayer, *President*; Miss Mary W. Bartol, *Secretary*; Dudley H. Dorr, *Treasurer*.

Providing healthful recreation, athletic exercises, and instruction in the more common and useful arts and sciences.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 657, viz., 522 paying, 135 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$58 68	Salaries and wages . .	\$761 03
From beneficiaries . .	334 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	2 96
Subscriptions and donations .	1,041 85	Provisions and supplies .	19 10
Miscellaneous . . .	12 27	Water rates . . .	2 82
		Heat, light, and power .	200 08
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	293 19
		Advertising . . .	13 10
		Insurance . . .	87 72
		Miscellaneous . . .	16 56
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		Total current expenses .	\$1,396 56
		Cash on hand . . .	50 39
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	\$1,446 95		\$1,446 95

LAWRENCE.

**ARLINGTON DAY NURSERY AND CHILDREN'S TEMPORARY HOME,
19 Charles St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1910.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles Wainwright, *President*; Mrs. Margaret Hollows, *Secretary*; Miss Edith Longfellow, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mina Black, *Matron*.

Day nursery and permanent home for children whose parents are unable to give them care.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 79, viz., 77 paying and partly paying, 2 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$2,120 69	Salaries and wages	\$1,304 56
Subscriptions and donations	1,231 33	Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 03
Miscellaneous	6 00	Provisions and supplies	1,009 83
		Rent	168 00
		Heat, light, and power	133 83
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	270 96
		Telephone	37 19
		Miscellaneous	33 85
		Total current expenses	\$2,971 25
		Deficit January 1, 1912	257 35
		Cash on hand	129 42
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	\$3,358 02		\$3,358 02

**GERMAN RUTH SOCIETY OF LAWRENCE, 76 Harvard St., Lawrence.
(Incorporated 1902.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Lizzie Dick, *President*; C. Julius Emmert, *Secretary*; Gustav A. Hoepfner, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Marie Weidner, *Matron*.

Home for destitute men and women, without regard to age, creed, or residence. Children admitted. Admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number aided during year, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$549 96	Salaries and wages . .	\$300 00
From beneficiaries . .	2,379 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies	49 50
Subscriptions and donations . .	315 73	Provisions and supplies . .	367 56
Annuities and bequests to income	240 00	Heat, light, and power . .	422 30
Income from investments . .	87 52	Furnishings and incidental repairs	374 48
Sewing circle and visiting day	97 59	Interest on mortgage . .	135 00
Lawn party	211 88	Insurance	78 85
Collected by ladies for purchase of new Home . .	4,724 44	Paid cash on new Home . .	6,000 00
		Miscellaneous	34 44
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,762 13
		Cash on hand	844 41
	<hr/> \$8,606 54		<hr/> \$8,606 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,000; value of investments, \$4,500.

INCORPORATED PROTECTORY OF MARY IMMACULATE, 189 Maple St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1875.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Sister Catherine Blanchfield, *Secretary*; Sister Julia Latour, *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

Care of orphan boys and girls, without distinction of color, creed, or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year, 368, viz., 165 paying, 115 partly paying, 88 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,290 54	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,592 80
From beneficiaries . .	13,543 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies	200 97
Subscriptions and donations . .	2,129 42	Provisions and supplies . .	8,120 55
Patriots' tea	1,668 10	Heat, light, and power . .	1,681 86
Miscellaneous	449 27	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,489 41
		Building stable and extra repairs	10,171 24
		Miscellaneous	243 33
		Total current expenses . .	\$24,500 16
		Cash on hand	1,580 96
	<hr/> \$26,081 12		<hr/> \$26,081 12

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$119,900.

THE LADIES' HEBREW COUNCIL, 62 Concord St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Rose Tepper, *President*; Molly Michalovich, *Secretary*; Rebecca Kaufman, *Treasurer*.

To aid Hebrew women of Lawrence who are sick or in distress.

Number of families aided, 250.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$191 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$35 62
Subscriptions and donations	180 00	Rent	36 00
Miscellaneous	180 00	For charitable purposes	341 00
		Total current expenses	\$412 62
		Cash on hand	139 28
	<hr/> \$551 90		<hr/> \$551 90

LADIES' UNION CHARITABLE SOCIETY (LAWRENCE GENERAL HOSPITAL), Garden and Prospect Sts., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Mrs. William Shackford, *President*; Miss Miriam N. Flanders, *Secretary*; Miss Clara F. Prescott, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary E. Bass, *Superintendent*.

General hospital work; also district nursing.

Number of paid officers or employees, 71.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,578, viz., 1,069 paying, 129 partly paying, 380 free; outside institution, 403.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,882 50	Salaries and wages	\$15,085 23
From beneficiaries	34,004 69	Printing, postage, and office supplies	597 63
Subscriptions and donations	8,136 10	Provisions and supplies	17,621 42
Income from investments	10,469 66	Interest, etc.	223 25
Dime strips	1,376 82	Ambulance	735 00
Bakery sale	1,426 77	Heat, light, and power	5,274 49
Miscellaneous	1 00	Furnishings and repairs	6,006 07
Total current receipts	\$57,297 54	Medical and surgical supplies	5,103 68
Loans to income	1,551 26	Taxes	1,124 35
Mortgage loans (payments on principal)	1,825 00	Annuities	582 00
Bequests	6,540 00	Insurance	684 15
Sale of real estate	8,000 00	Telephone and telegraph	146 82
		Miscellaneous	1,514 93
		Total current expenses	\$54,699 02
		Income invested	16,956 26
		Cash on hand	3,558 52
	<hr/> \$75,213 80		<hr/> \$75,213 80

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$159,337.80; value of investments, \$177,536.58.

LAWRENCE BOYS' CLUB, 125 Methuen St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William T. Dole, *President*; Richard A. Hale, *Secretary*; E. B. Choate, *Treasurer*; Chester R. Earle, *Superintendent*.

Promoting good citizenship and morality; providing a vacation center, physical instruction, and manual training.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of members, 1,002; total attendance for year, 15,109.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$27 43	Salaries	\$546 60
Subscriptions and donations	1,822 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	60 99
Income from investments	54 86	Rent	352 00
Total current receipts	\$1,905 19	Heat and light	114 24
Building fund	1,084 34	Miscellaneous	82 27
		Total current expenses	\$1,156 10
		Building fund	1,754 70
		Cash on hand	73 73
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	\$2,989 53		\$2,989 53

Value of investments, \$1,754.70.

LAWRENCE CITY MISSION, 31 Jackson St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1876.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Walter E. Parker, *President*; Rev. Clark Carter, *Secretary*; Charles H. Littlefield, *Treasurer*.

To relieve distress intelligently, promptly, adequately, and kindly; to prevent unwise giving to the unworthy; to encourage independence; to protect children; and to study social problems.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 2,954.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$707 18	Salaries and wages	\$3,560 58
From beneficiaries (loans returned)	241 56	Printing, postage, and office supplies	183 99
Subscriptions and donations	7,906 73	Provisions and supplies	4,468 37
Bequest to income	2,000 00	Rent	37 50
Income from investments	3 63	Heat, light, and power	113 72
Special gift for repairs	392 29	Furnishings and incidental repairs	140 41
Special gift for purchase of new house	608 61	Telephone and telegraph	80 60
Investment transferred	431 82	Repairs and new house	392 29
Rent and care of rooms	116 55	Purchase of new house	8,540 42
Total current receipts	\$12,408 37	Miscellaneous	33 50
Loans to income	7,500 00	Total current expenses	\$17,551 39
		Income invested	2,000 00
		Cash on hand	356 98
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	\$19,903 37		\$19,908 37

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$7,500; value of investments, \$2,000.

LAWRENCE HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Berkeley St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending November 12, 1913.

Newton P. Frye, *President*; Mrs. Harry L. Lewis, *Secretary*; C. O. Andrews, *Treasurer*; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Furbush, *Master and Matron*.

To provide a home for the aged of Lawrence, Methuen, and North Andover; admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 22.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,476 62	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,005 99
From beneficiaries . .	12,090 00	Provisions, heat, light, and power . . .	2,788 47
Subscriptions and donations . .	40 85	Furnishings, incidental repairs, and miscellaneous . .	568 08
Income from investments . .	5,057 08	Premium and accrued interest . . .	262 85
May breakfast . . .	1,892 86	Medicine, nurse, and undertaker . . .	651 14
Thursday Club . . .	23 25		
Donation day . . .	78 75	Total current expenses . .	\$6,276 53
Admission fees . . .	1,000 00	Income invested . . .	14,434 55
Lawn party . . .	300 60	Cash on hand . . .	1,302 95
Miscellaneous . . .	54 02		
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	\$22,014 03		\$22,014 03

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$163,000; value of investments, \$116,610.28.

LAWRENCE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 40 Lawrence St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Dean K. Webster, *President*; J. Rodney Ball, *Secretary*; Herbert P. Wilkinson, *Treasurer*; Ernest G. Gay, *General Secretary*.

The social, physical, intellectual, and spiritual development of young men and boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,945, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$290 34	Salaries and wages . . .	\$11,303 68
From beneficiaries . . .	6,128 39	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,099 44
Subscriptions and donations	7,006 38	Interest and insurance . .	1,317 28
Dormitory	4,792 50	Heat, light, and power . .	2,401 26
Miscellaneous	4,772 88	Furnishings and incidental repairs	661 26
		Miscellaneous	5,695 34
		Total current expenses . .	\$22,478 26
		Business enterprises . . .	503 48
		Cash on hand	8 70
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	\$22,990 44		\$22,990 44

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$175,136.

LAWRENCE YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 34 Lawrence St., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending May 10, 1913.

Mrs. J. G. Ingalls, *President*; Miss Ellen E. Durrëll, *Secretary*; Mrs. George D. Fitts, *Treasurer*; Bertha C. Macurdy, *General Secretary*.

To advance the physical, social, intellectual, moral, and spiritual interests of young women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$2,074 21	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,046 60
Subscriptions and donations	4,386 44	Printing, postage, and office supplies	143 03
Income from investments . .	804 14	Benevolence	253 36
Home	5,249 72	Heat, light, and power . .	438 61
Lunch room	7,403 73	Furnishings and incidental repairs	401 89
Miscellaneous	673 51	Home	5,030 70
		Lunch room	6,650 07
		Valley St. houses	987 28
		Paid on mortgage	2,500 00
		Overdrawn	98 69
		Miscellaneous	1,206 77
		Total current expenses . .	\$19,757 00
		Income invested	800 00
		Cash on hand	34 75
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	\$20,591 75		\$20,591 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$34,380; amount of mortgage on same, \$8,500; value of investments, \$10,879.98.

RUSSELL-HOOD TRUST, INCORPORATED, corner Appleton and Methuen Sts., Lawrence. (Incorporated 1908.)
 Report for year ending April, 1913.

George L. Selden, *President*; Wilbur E. Rowell, *Secretary*; Fred E. Batcheller, *Treasurer*.

To furnish a building for the use of the Young Men's Christian Association or similar charitable and educational undertakings.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Rent of small part of real estate	\$150 00	Young Men's Christian Association	\$150 00
	<hr/> \$150 00		<hr/> \$150 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000.

LEICESTER.
LEICESTER SAMARITAN SOCIETY, Main St., Leicester. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending February 13, 1913.

Miss Elizabeth G. May, *President*; Miss Ruth E. Hatch, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Lending to the sick or injured articles to contribute to their comfort; also employing nurses to minister to the suffering or needy.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 184, viz., 15 paying, 68 partly paying, 101 free.

Number of families aided, 125.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$192 20	Salaries and wages	\$780 00
From beneficiaries	203 55	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 60
Subscriptions and donations	593 10	Provisions and supplies	32 50
Income from investments	40 40	Telephone	18 00
Sale of Red Cross seals	21 55	Car fares	6 70
Use of telephone	9 00		
	<hr/>	Total current expenses	\$849 80
	\$1,059 80	Cash on hand	210 00
			<hr/> \$1,059 80

Value of investments, \$1,000.

LEOMINSTER.
LEOMINSTER HOME FOR OLD LADIES, 20 Pearl St., Leominster. (Incorporated 1891.)
 Report for year ending January 5, 1913.

Henry R. Smith, *President*; Mrs. C. E. Bigelow, *Secretary*; William A. Putnam, *Treasurer*; Hattie M. Perkins, *Superintendent*.

Home for elderly ladies; must have resided in Leominster for ten years, and be over sixty-five years of age. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$13,537 68	Salaries and wages . .	\$935 50
Income from investments . .	2,760 46	Provisions and supplies . .	680 01
Rents	192 00	Heat, light, and power . .	365 33
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	274 43
Total current receipts . .	\$16,490 14	Medical attendance and nurses	389 59
Loans, mortgages paid . .	16,700 00	Interest to inmates . . .	129 64
		Miscellaneous	254 94
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,029 44
		Loans on mortgages . . .	16,700 00
		Cash on hand	13,460 70
	\$33,190 14		\$33,190 14

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,575.46; value of investments, \$59,917.26.

LEOMINSTER HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, 11 Blossom St., Leominster.
(Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Charles F. Nixon, *President*; P. H. Killelea, *Secretary*; William Holden, *Treasurer*; Anne C. Parker, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of medical, surgical, and obstetrical cases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 266, viz., 209 paying, 24 partly paying, 33 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,601 76	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,576 51
From beneficiaries . .	7,232 49	Printing, postage, and office supplies	63 80
Subscriptions and donations . .	1,998 25	Provisions and supplies . .	3,101 46
Income from investments . .	1,419 20	Rent	228 00
		Heat, light, and water . .	1,277 98
		Incidental repairs and taxes . .	84 57
		Interest on mortgage . . .	150 00
		Laundry	826 48
		Medical and surgical supplies	1,591 72
		Furniture	64 38
		Surgical instruments and apparatus	10 95
		Miscellaneous	574 67
		Total current expenses . .	\$11,550 52
		Cash on hand	701 18
	\$12,251 70		\$12,251 70

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,100; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,000; value of investments, \$34,183.89.

LEXINGTON.

LEXINGTON HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Lexington. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1913.

Frederick L. Emery, *President*; Everett M. Mulliken, *Secretary*; A. E. Locke, *Treasurer*.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,405 37	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$7 75
Income from investments . .	361 07		
Dues	201 00	Total current expenses . .	\$7 75
		Income invested	1,762 28
		Cash on hand	197 41
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	\$1,967 44		\$1,967 44

Value of investments, \$6,840.

Not yet open.

LINCOLN.

THE FARRINGTON MEMORIAL, INCORPORATED, Lincoln. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for eleven months ending February 28, 1913.

Henry M. Rogers, *President*; Horace Morison, *Secretary*; Walter H. Sweet, *Treasurer*; Miss Louise Mecuen, *Superintendent*.

Temporary care of delicate children,—at present, girls from nine to fifteen years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 18.

Number aided, 92.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,237 55	Salaries and wages	\$4,790 04
Income from investments . .	9,302 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies	65 56
Income from sales	1,014 85	Provisions and supplies . .	1,929 45
		Heat, light, and power . .	536 20
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	613 44
		Farm expense	2,473 34
		Insurance	162 75
		Medical attendance	169 14
		Miscellaneous	204 23
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		Total current expenses . .	\$10,944 15
		Cash on hand	4,610 30
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	\$15,554 45		\$15,554 45

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$76,175.35; value of investments, \$168,236.45; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$28,100.

LONGMEADOW.

**CHAPELL MEMORIAL REST HOME, 23 Fernleaf Ave., Longmeadow.
(Incorporated 1911.)**

Report for year ending December 11, 1912.

Rev. S. Allen Barrett, *President*; Mrs. Cornelia E. Blake, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; Rev. Walter Rice, *Treasurer*.

To furnish a home in which weary Christian workers may rest, recuperating so as to resume work, or to abide for a longer time.

Number aided (open only last four months), 20, viz., 18 paying, 2 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$24 36	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$8 00
Subscriptions and donations	218 00	Provisions and supplies	150 00
From board and rooms	418 05	Heat, light, and power	92 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	75 00
Total current receipts	\$660 41	Builder	1,327 28
Loans to income	1,366 13	Interest, mortgage, etc. . . .	127 27
		Cement sidewalk	79 64
		Coal	80 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,933 20
		Cash on hand	93 34
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	\$2,026 54		\$2,026 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,600; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,300.

THE DOANE ORPHANAGE, 17 Longmeadow St., Longmeadow. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Charles B. Holton, *President*; Vernon M. Schenck, *Secretary*; Robert F. Ehni, *Treasurer*; Miss Minnie C. Atwater, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for children whose parents are unable to care for them properly, and to promote their education and development.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 28, viz., 8 partly paying, 20 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$165 62	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,344 80
From beneficiaries . . .	660 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	38 08
Subscriptions and donations	6,186 37	Provisions and supplies . .	1,452 12
		Washing and cleaning . .	166 20
		Heat, light, and power . .	411 38
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	61 00
		Water supply and telephone	132 03
		Typhoid fever, special expense	640 30
		Typhoid fever, paid nurses .	645 00
		To former superintendent for special services . . .	100 00
		To former superintendent in connection with management	100 00
		Miscellaneous	101 47
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,192 43
		Cash on hand	819 56
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	\$7,011 99		\$7,011 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$17,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,400; value of investments, \$6,489.11.

LOWELL.

AYER HOME, TRUSTEES OF, Pawtucket St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Moses G. Parker, M.D., *President*; Charles F. Young, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. E. J. Tarr, *Matron*.

To care for unfortunate children.

Number of paid employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 180.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,804 22	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,531 21
Subscriptions and donations	2,707 28	Printing, postage, and office supplies	206 83
Income from investments .	13,197 23	Provisions and supplies . .	5,024 41
		Auditor	221 85
		Heat, light, and power . .	1,094 24
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	615 83
		Insurance	108 00
		Clothing and shoes	585 43
		Laundry	393 17
		Hospital and medicine . .	289 34
		Improvements	2,108 30
		Miscellaneous	42 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$14,221 16
		Cash on hand	6,987 57
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	\$21,203 73		\$21,203 73

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,200; value of investments, \$298,312.31.

THE BATTLES HOME, 15 Belmont St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mr. A. D. Carter, *President*; Walter H. Howe, *Secretary*; William T. Sheppard, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mary A. Hapgood, *Matron*.

Home for aged men, residents of Lowell; admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 5, viz., 2 partly paying, 3 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$14 95	Salaries and wages . .	\$624 00
From beneficiaries . .	139 75	Provisions and supplies . .	545 16
Subscriptions and donations . .	90 87	Heat, light, and power . .	183 53
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,400 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	244 24
Income from investments . .	182 18	Funeral expenses . . .	67 50
		Insurance, water, and telephone . . .	71 10
		Miscellaneous . . .	68 38
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,803 91
		Cash on hand . . .	23 84
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	\$1,827 75		\$1,827 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000; value of investments, \$2,000.

CHANNING FRATERNITY, Lowell. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending October 5, 1913.

Rev. Charles T. Billings, *President*; Mrs. Arthur F. Mansur, *Secretary*; Albert S. Guild, *Treasurer*.

Flower mission; country week; culture; missionary work; benevolence; hospitality.

Number aided during year, 54; number of families aided, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$5,350 82	Printing and postage . .	\$5 00
From beneficiaries . .	1 21	Missions committee . .	76 90
Income from investments . .	218 94	Culture committee . .	49 00
Members' dues . . .	41 00	Country week committee expenses . . .	402 85
Country week committee, cash on hand . . .	100 45	Total current expenses . .	\$533 75
Country week committee, subscriptions . . .	397 80	Cash on hand . . .	5,481 07
	<hr/>	Country week committee, cash on hand . . .	95 40
	\$6,110 22		<hr/>
			\$6,110 22

Value of investments, \$5,451.76.

FAITH HOME, 249 Westford St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, *President*; Miss Mary E. Drew, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Georgianna Foss, *Treasurer* and *Matron*.

To provide a Christian home for orphan, neglected, and destitute children.

Number of paid employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 12, viz., 3 partly paying, 9 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$15 29	Salaries and wages	\$78 00
From beneficiaries	183 00	Provisions and supplies	945 97
Subscriptions and donations	882 72	Heat, light, and power	68 16
Annuities and bequests to income	70 20	Furnishings and incidental repairs	22 83
		Total current expenses	\$1,114 96
		Cash on hand	36 25
	<hr/> \$1,151 21		<hr/> \$1,151 21

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,000; value of investments, \$500.

THE LADIES' GMELOOS CHASODEM ASSOCIATION, 642 Middlesex St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

David Siskin, *President*; Samuel H. Rostler, *Secretary*; Jennie Goldstein, *Treasurer*.

To lend money to the poor without interest.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$164 25	Rent	\$0 45
Income from investments	27 00	Heat, light, and power	8 80
Sold property	500 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1 00
Loans repaid	335 66	Loss on sale of building	150 00
Dues	21 25	Expenses on sale of building	25 00
		Money loaned	319 34
		Total current expenses	\$504 59
		Cash on hand	543 57
	<hr/> \$1,048 16		<hr/> \$1,048 16

THE LADIES' HELPING HAND SOCIETY, 135 Howard St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Mrs. Minnie Bernstein, *President*; Mrs. Fannie Cohen, *Secretary*; Mrs. Minnie Harris, *Treasurer*.

Relief of the sick and general charitable purposes.

Number aided during year, 28.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$500 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$4 80
Interest for two years	40 00	Miscellaneous	132 20
Miscellaneous	82 75		
		Total current expenses	\$137 00
		Cash on hand	485 75
	<hr/> \$622 75		<hr/> \$622 75

LOWELL BOYS' CLUB ASSOCIATION, 45 Middle St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

William S. Southworth, *President*; Greenleaf C. Brock, *Secretary*; Lewis E. MacBrayne, *Treasurer*; James H. Stewart, *Superintendent*.

Nonsectarian work among street boys; maintains club rooms, gymnasium, etc.

Number of paid employees, 5.

Number aided during year, about 1,400.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,027 50	Salaries and wages	\$1,790 00
Subscriptions and donations	2,514 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	169 90
Interest	20 00	Rent	200 00
		Heat and light	192 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	420 10
		Note paid	250 00
		Total current expenses	\$3,021 00
		Cash on hand	540 95
	<hr/> \$3,561 95		<hr/> \$3,561 95

LOWELL CORPORATION HOSPITAL, corner Merrimack and Pawtucket Sts., Lowell. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

F. A. Bowen, *President*; J. C. Wadleigh, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Dr. Edward J. Clark, *Superintendent*; Mrs. Clark, *Matron*.

For the convenience and comfort of the persons employed by "the supporting corporations" when sick or needing medical or surgical treatment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 46.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$231 76	Salaries and wages	\$9,365 47
From beneficiaries	13,242 46	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,413 42
Subscriptions and donations	23,987 50	Provisions and supplies	16,778 11
Miscellaneous	392 44	Heat, light, and power	1,800 94
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,389 54
		Miscellaneous	2,427 33
		Total current expenses	\$37,124 81
		Cash on hand	729 35
	<hr/> \$37,854 16		<hr/> \$37,854 16

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes.
\$25,000.

LOWELL DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION, 64-66 Kirk St. and 57 First St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Moses G. Parker, M.D., *President*; Mrs. Charles M. Williams, *Secretary*; J. Gilbert Hill, Esq., *Treasurer*; Amanda J. Nelson and Flora E. Brawn, *Matrons*.

Care by day of young children of working mothers and temporary home at Kirk St. for children who may need its care.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year in nursery, 352; in temporary home, 26.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,803 20	Salaries and wages	\$2,109 78
From beneficiaries	1,655 65	Provisions and supplies	1,476 25
Subscriptions and donations	820 52	Heat, light, and power	574 47
Annuities and bequests to income	283 54	Furnishings and incidental repairs	355 63
Income from investments	2,726 01	Services on book subscriptions, two years	150 00
Legacies	5,000 00	Miscellaneous	450 37
From lecture	96 50	Total current expenses	\$5,116 50
Miscellaneous	40 37	Income invested	5,796 01
		Cash on hand	2,513 28
	<hr/> \$13,425 79		<hr/> \$13,425 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$13,500; value of investments, \$64,546.01.

LOWELL DISPENSARY, 18 Shattuck St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1836.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles H. Hobson, *President*; Edward B. Carney, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To furnish medicines and other needful articles, and medical advice and relief, to the sick poor of this city.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	\$144 00	Salaries and wages	\$13 08
Miscellaneous	130 67	Printing, postage, and office supplies	60
		Miscellaneous	116 99
		Total current expenses	\$130 67
		Income invested	144 00
	<hr/> \$274 67		<hr/> \$274 67

Value of investments, \$4,649.89.

Not a dispensary.

LOWELL GENERAL HOSPITAL, Varnum Ave., Lowell. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Jacob Rogers, *President*; William T. Sheppard, *Secretary*; John F. Sawyer, *Treasurer*; Miss Sara A. Bowen, *Superintendent*.

The treatment of persons who may need medical and surgical attendance during temporary sickness and injury.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year, 1,265, viz.. 510 paying, 505 partly paying, 190 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,491 05	Salaries and wages	\$13,274 93
From beneficiaries	20,852 84	Printing, postage, and office supplies	223 85
Subscriptions and donations	9,013 00	Provisions and supplies	19,681 52
Annuities and bequests to income	16,905 77	Heat, light, and power	5,057 68
Income from investments	15,037 02	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,322 15
Miscellaneous	58 52	Insurance	1,177 89
		Miscellaneous	1,322 47
		Total current expenses	\$45,060 49
		Income invested	16,905 77
		Cash on hand	1,391 94
	<hr/> \$63,358 20		<hr/> \$63,358 20

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$116,900; value of investments, \$352,206.21.

THE LOWELL GUILD OF LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS, 17 Dutton St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mabel W. Pickering, *President*; Mary G. Lamson, *Secretary*; Edward B. Carney, *Treasurer*; Annie R. Moore, *Superintendent*.

District nursing and milk station work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 1,180, viz., 533 paying, 257 partly paying, 390 free; number of families aided, 74.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$529 63	Salaries and wages	\$5,956 96
From beneficiaries	3,342 19	Printing, postage, and office supplies	178 49
Subscriptions and donations	3,391 24	Provisions and supplies	1,914 40
Income from investments	10 08	Heat, light, and power	49 00
From fair	2,585 59	Furnishings and incidental repairs	63 73
Membership dues	182 00	Car fares	304 30
		Laundry	31 52
		Miscellaneous	145 73
		Total current expenses	\$8,644 43
		Cash on hand	1,396 60
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	\$10,040 73		\$10,040 73

THE LOWELL HUMANE SOCIETY, 71 Central St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Robert F. Marden, *President*; Mrs. Mary R. Dunbar, *Secretary*;

Mrs. Carrie S. Sawyer, *Treasurer*; Charles F. Richardson, *Agent*.

Humane work for children and animals.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$543 38	Salaries and wages	\$1,605 25
Subscriptions and donations	584 50	Rent	60 00
Income from investments	1,079 35	Telephone	57 03
Fines	66 19	Nesmith fund, relief work	157 66
Nesmith fund	157 66	Miscellaneous	47 07
		Total current expenses	\$1,927 01
		Cash on hand	504 07
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	\$2,431 08		\$2,431 08

Value of investments, \$22,469.17.

LOWELL YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 15 Hurd St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1856 and 1868.)

Report for year ending April 10, 1913.

Frank A. Bowen, *President*; D. E. Yarnell, M.D., *Secretary*;

Walter H. Hoyt, *Treasurer*.

To promote the spiritual, mental, and physical efficiency of the young men and boys of the community.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$105 10	Salaries and wages . . .	\$7,025 07
Social department . . .	466 79	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,659 28
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,779 65	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,590 96
Income from investments . . .	1,785 00	Heat, light, power, and water	1,011 69
Entertainments	881 60	Furnishings and incidental repairs	7 66
Rent	2,077 23	Religious department . . .	181 22
Religious department . . .	36 05	Entertainments	1,184 33
Note and interest	1,840 90	Notes	5,514 38
Boys' department	1,546 80	Boys' department	1,497 69
Physical department	1,004 47	Miscellaneous	524 27
Miscellaneous	589 39		
		Total current expenses . .	\$20,196 55
		Cash on hand	916 43
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	\$21,112 98		\$21,112 98

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$250,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$9,110.

MINISTRY-AT-LARGE IN LOWELL, MASSACHUSETTS, 150 Middlesex St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Dudley L. Page, *President*; Harold A. Varnum, *Secretary*; Harvey B. Greene, *Treasurer*; Rev. George E. Wright, *Minister-at-large*.

Charity, education, benevolence, and religion.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 1,620.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$320 10	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,419 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	475 14	Heat, light, and power . . .	75 00
Income from investments . . .	3,345 22	Furnishings and incidental repairs	15 00
		Charity	2,464 74
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,973 74
		Cash on hand	166 72
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	\$4,140 46		\$4,140 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000; value of investments, \$54,000.

OLD LADIES' HOME, 520 Fletcher St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1867.)

Report for year ending October 11, 1913.

Caroline A. Richardson, *President*; Sarah T. Young, *Secretary*; James E. Gibson, *Treasurer*; Martha E. Mills, *Matron*.

Home for single Protestant women at least sixty-five years of

age, residents of Lowell for five years. Admission, \$200 and conveyance of property to home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 43.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,663 65	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,611 71
From beneficiaries . .	3,104 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	5 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	105 00	Provisions and supplies . .	4,804 02
Annuities and bequests . .	1,637 63	Heat, light, and power . .	1,416 27
Income from investments . .	5,136 56	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	333 01
Securities paid . . .	10,500 00	Miscellaneous . . .	337 84
		Total current expenses . .	\$9,507 85
		Investments . . .	12,446 15
		Cash on hand . . .	192 84
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	\$22,146 84		\$22,146 84

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000; value of investments, \$119,125.

ORPHELINAT FRANCO-AMERICAN, 249 Pawtucket St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; J. H. Guillet, *Secretary*; J. M. Blais, O. M. S., *Treasurer*; Sister Beatrice, *Superintendent*.

The care of poor orphans, motherless or fatherless boys and girls, from three to twelve years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 22.

Number aided during year, 125, viz., 90 paying, 5 partly paying, 30 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$95 20	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,757 12
From beneficiaries . .	3,965 56	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	640 19
Subscriptions and donations . .	8,952 09	Provisions and supplies . .	4,799 22
Received for support of inmates . . .	7,039 86	Heat, light, and power . .	1,808 47
From Board of Charity . .	715 80	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	3,781 23
Sale of property . . .	4,000 00	Insurance, taxes, water, etc. . .	962 81
Rental . . .	850 90	New building . . .	53,930 74
Miscellaneous . . .	831 94	Reduction of debt . . .	6,553 65
		Miscellaneous . . .	440 07
		Total current expenses . .	\$74,673 50
Total current receipts . .	\$26,451 35	Cash on hand . . .	317 18
Loans . . .	48,539 33		<hr/>
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	\$74,990 68		\$74,990 68

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,700; amount of mortgage on same, \$35,000.

ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL, 14 Bartlett St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1867.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Sister Mary Clare, *President* and *Treasurer*; Sister Caroline, *Secretary*.

Care of the sick and injured irrespective of creed, color, age, nationality, or residence. Insane persons, inebriates, and persons suffering from contagious diseases not usually admitted.

Number of paid officers or employees, 39.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,044, viz., 756 paying, 112 partly paying, 176 free; in dispensary, 1,421; number of families aided, 757.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,455 39	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,721 99
From beneficiaries . .	19,395 97	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	324 41
Subscriptions and donations	1,459 26	Provisions and supplies . .	8,317 00
Bequests . . .	2,994 97	Interest on mortgage and telephone . . .	465 85
Loan repaid . . .	2,000 00	Heat, light, and power . .	2,503 71
Miscellaneous . . .	443 22	Furnishings, incidental repairs, and improvements . .	6,587 48
		Drugs and surgical supplies . . .	1,812 24
		Insurance . . .	472 69
		Loan . . .	2,494 97
		Miscellaneous . . .	312 49
		Total current expenses . .	\$28,012 83
		Cash on hand . . .	735 98
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	\$28,748 81		\$28,748 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$80,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$8,000.

ST. PATRICK'S HOME OF LOWELL, Cross St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Thomas J. Enright, *Secretary*; Rt. Rev. William O'Brien, *Treasurer*; Rev. Mother Euphrasia, *Superintendent*.

Home for young girls and old ladies, without distinction of creed, color, or nationality.

Number of paid officers or employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 233, viz., 140 paying, 43 partly paying, 150 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,665 42	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,852 00
From beneficiaries . .	9,968 45	Provisions and supplies .	5,407 92
		Heat, light, and power .	1,382 53
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	187 97
		Insurance	150 00
		Miscellaneous	513 76
		Total current expenses .	\$9,494 18
		Cash on hand	3,139 69
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	\$12,633 87		\$12,633 87

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$50,000.

THE THEODORE EDSON ORPHANAGE, 13 Anne St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Rev. Appleton Grannis, *President*; Charles W. Eaton, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Edith C. Wells, *Matron*.

Care of orphan boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 10, viz., 2 partly paying, 8 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$17 94	Salaries and wages . .	\$958 00
From beneficiaries . .	28 00	Provisions and supplies .	1,067 21
Subscriptions and donations	550 15	Heat, light, and power .	260 00
Income from investments .	1,204 00	Furnishings and incidental	
From savings banks . .	879 58	repairs	172 35
		Miscellaneous	216 23
		Total current expenses .	\$2,673 79
		Cash on hand	5 88
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	\$2,679 67		\$2,679 67

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; value of investments, \$28,379.02.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF LOWELL, 50 John St., Lowell. (Incorporated 1874 and 1891.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Mrs. W. B. Jackson, *Secretary*; Mrs. G. S. Drew, *Treasurer*; Miss Harriet L. Boutelle, *General Secretary*.

The improvement of the physical, social, intellectual, and spiritual condition of young women; and to render assistance to such as are worthy and needy.

Number of paid officers and employees, 19.

Number aided during year in institution, 424, all paying; in summer camp, 500, viz., 300 partly paying, 200 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$640 96	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,685 71
Subscriptions and donations	1,892 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	272 31
Income from investments	303 24	Provisions and supplies in lunch	9,770 59
Memberships	1,201 50	Supplies in house	491 51
Summer work, camps, etc. . . .	887 52	Heat, light, and power	1,816 60
Religious work	107 62	Furnishings, incidental repairs, and insurance	444 37
Lunch department	13,215 32	Summer work, camp, etc. . . .	917 02
Home department	2,287 90	Religious work	308 14
Educational work	215 80	Educational work	489 03
Physical work	964 05	Physical work	970 89
Miscellaneous	277 71	Miscellaneous	3 33
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Total current receipts	\$21,993 62	Total current expenses	\$22,169 50
Loans to income	1,000 00	Cash on hand	824 12
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\$22,993 62		\$22,993 62	

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$58,094.74; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$7,320.

LYNN.

AID SOCIETY OF THE LYNN DAY NURSERY, 10 Tolman Pl., Lynn.
(Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Laura B. Goss, *President*; Augusta N. Putnam, *Secretary*; Iz-zette P. Geer, *Treasurer*; Katherine B. McHugh, *Superintendent*.

The care of children under school age whose parents need such assistance, and such other social work as may develop therefrom.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 183, viz., 65 partly paying, 118 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$304 40	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,670 49
From beneficiaries	208 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	46 90
Subscriptions and donations	2,623 87	Provisions and supplies	811 03
Income from investments	126 50	Rent	300 00
Miscellaneous	4 04	Heat, light, and power	180 37
<hr/>		House supplies	60 68
\$3,267 06		House repairs	35 31
		Kindergarten supplies	6 49
		Telephone	26 87
		Miscellaneous	17 50
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		Total current expenses	\$3,155 64
		Cash on hand	111 42
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		\$3,267 06	

Value of investments, \$2,300.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF LYNN, 10 City Hall Sq., Lynn. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, *President*; Mrs. Charles H. Hastings, *Secretary*; Mr. Frank E. Bruce, *Treasurer*; Miss Emma W. Lee, *General Secretary*.

To promote charitable co-operation, secure knowledge of the condition and needs of the applicants for relief, procure employment or assistance, prevent begging and spread of pauperism, maintain stamp-saving society and employment bureau.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$808 41	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,160 30
From beneficiaries . .	1,416 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	120 67
Subscriptions and donations . .	2,641 35	Provisions and supplies . .	522 46
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	3,142 27	Rent . . .	300 00
Income from investments . .	212 50	Heat, light, and power . .	10 57
Loans returned . . .	104 38	Emergency . . .	105 00
May breakfast . . .	402 68	Office expenses . . .	226 55
Miscellaneous . . .	38 24	Telephone . . .	95 71
		Nurse . . .	115 19
		May breakfast committee . .	214 01
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,870 46
		Income invested . . .	4,082 09
		Cash on hand . . .	813 28
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	\$8,765 83		\$8,765 83

Value of investments, \$4,500.

BOYS' CLUB OF LYNN, 169 Liberty St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

George R. Beardsall, *President*; A. Louise Collins, *Secretary*; W. R. C. Stephenson, *Treasurer*; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin N. Northrop, *Superintendent and Matron*.

To promote among boys and young men in Lynn and vicinity temperance, morality, and right living, by the establishment and maintenance of places for reading rooms, libraries, social meetings, and otherwise.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 762.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$20 11	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,040 13
Subscriptions and donations	995 00	Printing	58 50
Annuities and bequests to income	25 88	Heat, light, and power . . .	263 50
Income from investments	629 92	Furnishings and incidental repairs	186 84
Charity ball	2,174 88	Prizes	60 00
From sale	62 25	Paid on account of loan . . .	165 00
C. F. Pierce bequest	483 87	Miscellaneous	225 74
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Total current receipts	\$4,391 91	Total current expenses . . .	\$2,999 61
Loans to income	343 35	Income invested	1,716 50
<hr/>		Cash on hand	19 05
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\$4,735 16		\$4,735 16	

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$10,385.

COLUMBUS GUILD OF LYNN, 90 Market St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Mrs. Catherine E. Hines, *President*; Miss Anna L. Harney, *Secretary*; Miss Martha A. Rogers, *Treasurer*.

Relief of destitute Catholic families.

Number aided during year, 322.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$238 52	Wages (janitor)	\$10 00
Donations	1,871 69	Printing, postage, and office supplies	62 65
Income from investments	12 14	Provisions and supplies for relief	573 70
Membership fees	424 00	Children's board	23 00
Entertainments	937 98	Dayton fund	15 00
<hr/>		Social committee	17 99
<hr/>		Masses for deceased members	5 00
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<hr/>		Total current expenses . . .	\$707 34
<hr/>		Income invested	2,504 00
<hr/>		Cash on hand	272 99
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\$3,484 33		\$3,484 33	

Value of investments, \$5,552.98.

ELIZA J. HAHN HOME FOR AGED COUPLES, Lynn. (Incorporated 1895.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Henry A. Pevear, *President*; William S. Burrill, *Secretary*; Eugene B. Fraser, *Treasurer*.

To provide a home for aged couples.

Value of investments, \$106.12.

Not yet in operation.

JEWISH ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF LYNN, Church St. Synagogue, Lynn. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending January 23, 1913.

S. Shamrath, *President*; Samuel Chernove, *Secretary*; D. Finnerman, *Treasurer*.

To relieve the poor and the sick among our co-religionists of this city, and to aid in alleviating all sorts of suffering.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 286.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$232 50	Salaries	\$52 00
From beneficiaries	50 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies	44 85
Subscriptions and donations	1,253 64	Provisions and supplies	1,409 31
Ball	53 48	Rent	30 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,536 16
		Cash on hand	53 48
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	\$1,589 64		\$1,589 64

LYNN HOME FOR AGED MEN, Corner Forest and Grove Sts., Lynn. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

James P. Martin, *President*; William S. Burrill, *Secretary*; Eugene B. Fraser, *Treasurer*; Mary G. Philbrook, *Matron*.

Home for men at least sixty-five years of age, residents of Lynn for ten years. Admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$439 21	Salaries and wages	\$538 75
From beneficiaries	1,050 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2 25
Annuities and bequests to income	9,919 39	Provisions and supplies, including light	1,945 25
Income from investments	3,202 60	Taxes	78 68
Rents	696 10	Furnishings and incidental repairs	950 80
		Insurance	60 25
		Miscellaneous	9 05
		Total current expenses	\$3,585 03
		Income invested	11,240 98
		Cash on hand	481 29
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	\$15,307 30		\$15,307 30

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,873.50; value of investments, \$81,073.28.

LYNN HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 197 North Common St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Charles E. Harwood, *President*; Isabel M. Breed, *Secretary*; John B. Newhall, *Treasurer*; Miss Rose L. Brainerd, *Matron*.

Home for worthy Protestant women of American birth, at least sixty-five years of age, residents of Lynn for ten years. Admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 21.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$113 59	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,229 32
From beneficiaries . .	7,494 47	Printing, postage, and office supplies	36 50
Subscriptions and donations	669 42	Provisions and supplies . .	2,988 16
Admissions	1,250 00	Heat, light, and power . .	270 25
Income from investments . .	6,195 42	Furnishings and incidental repairs	680 37
Miscellaneous	441 37	Sidewalk	165 76
		Taxes	101 49
		Insurance	90 00
		Burials	247 82
		Miscellaneous	156 15
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,865 82
		Income invested	9,049 50
		Cash on hand	248 95
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	\$16,164 27		\$16,164 27

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,000; value of investments, \$126,453.59.

THE LYNN HOME FOR YOUNG WOMEN, 144-150 Broad St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for thirteen and one-half months ending September 1, 1913.

Mrs. Caroline M. Engler, *President*; Mrs. May L. Sheldon, *Secretary*; Mrs. A. Louise Collins, *Treasurer*; Miss Myra L. Foss, *Matron*.

To provide a shelter and a meeting place for the young women employed in the various industries in our city, where they can receive moral, intellectual, and physical aid.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided from February 1, 1913, to September 1, 1913, 675, viz., 500 paying, 175 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$411 85	Salaries and wages . .	\$287 35
Subscriptions and donations	31,461 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	84 40
Mortgage	9,000 00	Provisions and supplies . .	34 54
Rental from store and rooms	478 10	Heat, light, and power . .	183 53
Membership fees and gymnasium class from July 1 to September 1, 1913 . .	18 20	Furnishings and incidental repairs	5,666 84
		Taxes	209 52
		Telephone and insurance . .	445 51
		Remodeling premises . .	19,244 99
		Miscellaneous	449 35
		Total current expenses . .	\$26,606 13
		Cash on hand	763 37
		Property account	14,000 00
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	\$41,369 40		\$41,369 40

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$9,000.

Home opened February 1, 1913.

LYNN HOSPITAL, Boston St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1880.)

Report for year ending December 21, 1913.

Luther S. Johnson, *President*; Charles S. Viall, *Clerk*; Frederick L. Bubier, *Treasurer*; Chauncy C. Sheldon, M.D., *Superintendent*.

To maintain in the city of Lynn a hospital to furnish medical and surgical treatment for persons in need of it.

Number of paid officers or employees, 54.

Number aided during year in institution, 2,331; outside institution, 6,548.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,501 41	Salaries and wages . .	\$13,282 34
From beneficiaries . .	6,411 06	Provisions and supplies . .	13,280 45
Subscriptions and donations	21,852 27	Repairs	796 66
Annuities and bequests to income	11,901 53	Medical and surgical supplies	4,231 55
Income from investments . .	9,355 09	Miscellaneous	3,746 73
		Total current expenses . .	\$35,337 73
		Out-patient department . .	7,515 99
		Income invested	3,502 58
		Cash on hand	7,665 06
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	\$54,021 36		\$54,021 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$133,440.06; value of investments, \$170,674.50.

NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 53 Neptune St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending May 26, 1913.

Henry C. Shaw, *President*; Aubrey G. Perry, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Grace W. Gregg, *Superintendent*.

To carry on neighborhood work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year in institution, about 1,200; outside institution, about 900; number of families aided, 69.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4 84	Wages	\$1,001 71
Subscriptions and donations	2,160 30	Heat, light, and power	449 26
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	12 06
		Interest on mortgage	167 50
		Kindergarten	163 00
		Sunday school	256 85
		Total current expenses	\$2,050 38
		Cash on hand at end of year	114 76
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	\$2,165 14		\$2,165 14

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; mortgage on same, \$3,500.

UNION HOSPITAL, Linwood Rd., West Lynn. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending June 10, 1913.

John A. Balcom, *President*; Eugene M. Dolloff, *Secretary*; George W. Haywood, *Treasurer*; James H. Grant, *Superintendent*.

Medical and surgical work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 27.

Number aided during year, 692, viz., 680 paying, 8 partly paying, 4 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,270 63	Salaries and wages	\$5,120 35
From beneficiaries	19,200 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	204 59
Subscriptions and donations	6,597 56	Provisions and supplies	5,280 14
Interest	127 87	Rent and interest	211 80
Miscellaneous	374 53	Heat, light, and power	1,566 37
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	11,873 13
		Drugs and sundries	1,003 05
		Surgical supplies	1,645 92
		General expense and rebates	526 69
		Miscellaneous	281 30
		Total current expenses	\$27,713 34
		Cash on hand	1,858 15
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	\$29,571 49		\$29,571 49

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$35,000.

WOMEN'S UNION FOR CHRISTIAN WORK, 18 Olive St., Lynn. (Incorporated 1875.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. J. H. Grover, *President*; Mrs. Henry Holder, *Secretary*; Mrs. W. A. Hall, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Alice P. Chase, *Superintendent*.

Industrial relief in the Industrial Relief Laundry and Sewing Room to necessitous widows or other women with dependent families.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$161 42	Salaries and wages	\$7,970 29
Subscriptions and donations	1,383 19	Printing, postage, and office supplies	27 61
From laundry work	8,120 75	Laundry	826 26
		Heat, light, and power	300 00
		Taxes	112 89
		Interest	167 50
		Water	131 08
		Insurance	37 44
		Total current expenses	\$9,573 07
		Cash on hand	92 29
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	\$9,665 36		\$9,665 36

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,850; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,750.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF LYNN, corner Market and Tremont Sts., Lynn. (Incorporated 1870.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Edwin B. Redfield, *President*; T. S. Thomas, *Secretary*; Arthur L. Howland, *Treasurer*.

To provide young men with opportunities for spiritual, mental, and physical development, and healthful, social intercourse.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number of members, 1,061.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$116 80	Salaries and wages	\$8,349 31
From beneficiaries	3,939 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	481 07
Subscriptions and donations	3,718 85	Provisions and supplies	677 96
Miscellaneous	8,824 22	Heat, light, and power	1,529 29
		Miscellaneous	8,228 28
Total current receipts	\$16,599 80	Total current expenses	\$19,265 91
Loans	3,302 66	Cash on hand	636 55
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	\$19,902 46		\$19,902 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$108,400; amount of mortgage on same, \$40,000.

MALDEN.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF MALDEN, 15 Ferry St., Malden. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Erskine F. Bickford, *President*; Clarence A. Perkins, *Secretary*; Frederick W. Eaton, *Treasurer*.

For the purpose of securing the concurrent and harmonious action of the different charities of Malden, and co-operating with them in the general work of assisting the needy and unfortunate.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 239.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$19 87	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,270 00
Subscriptions and donations	1,392 66	Printing, postage, and office supplies	140 52
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,410 52
		Cash on hand	2 01
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	\$1,412 53		\$1,412 53

MALDEN BOYS' INDUSTRIAL CLUB, Coverly School Building, Malden. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending June 4, 1913.

George Louis Richards, *President*; George H. Corey, *Secretary*; Marcus Butler, *Treasurer*; Charles F. Ernst, *Superintendent*.

To offer to boys a place of resort other than the street; to promote morality, industry, thrift, temperance, cleanliness, and good citizenship.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, about 500, all paying small dues.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$502 50	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,896 41
Subscriptions and donations	2,443 80	Printing, postage, and office supplies	92 25
Lillie A. B. Hill fund	17 50	Heat, light, and power . . .	142 92
Industrial department	64 89	Furnishings and incidental repairs	197 96
Ladies' auxiliary for salaries	59 00	Stock, etc., for industrial departments	72 58
Miscellaneous	18 40	First payment on land for building site	100 00
		Miscellaneous	108 75
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,610 87
		Cash on hand	120 22
		Lillie A. B. Hill fund . . .	375 00
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	\$3,106 09		\$3,106 09

Value of investments, \$100; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$375.

MALDEN HEBREW LADIES' CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Malden. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Mrs. Rose E. Cohen, *President*; Mrs. B. Silk, *Secretary*; Mrs. Rebecca Bychower, *Treasurer*.

Relieving Israelites in poverty and distress.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number of families aided, about 100.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$42 39	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$85 99
Members' dues	1,062 96	For charitable purposes	1,038 70
Subscriptions and donations	138 40		
From ball	42 39	Total current expenses	\$1,124 69
Miscellaneous	75 00	Cash on hand	194 06
	<hr/> \$1,318 75		<hr/> \$1,318 75

MALDEN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP, Malden. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Truman R. Hawley, *President*; Mary L. Stevens, *Secretary*; Harry W. Fenn, *Treasurer*.

To assist worthy young men and women to educate themselves.

Number aided during year, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1 03	Scholarships	\$250 00
Income from investments	296 66		
		Total current expenses	\$250 00
		Cash on hand	47 69
	<hr/> \$297 69		<hr/> \$297 69

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$7,149.97.

MALDEN HOME FOR AGED PERSONS, 570 Main St., Malden. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Joshua H. Millett, *President*; William D. Hawley, *Clerk*; James O. Otis, *Treasurer*; Ida R. Brigham, *Matron*.

Support of aged persons of the Protestant faith over sixty-five years of age and residing in Malden ten years next preceding date of application for admission. Admission fee, \$275.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 27.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,605 89	Salaries and wages	\$2,645 65
From beneficiaries (admission fees)	825 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	103 66
Subscriptions and donations	2,812 09	Provisions and supplies	3,015 88
Income from investments	2,446 63	Heat, light, and power	974 57
Sale of securities	1,380 30	Furnishings and incidental repairs	376 00
Total current receipts	\$9,069 91	Water and sewer rates	107 29
Loans to income	440 00	Taxes and telephone	101 47
		Temporary loan	440 00
		Miscellaneous	84 76
		Total current expenses	\$7,849 28
		Income invested	187 50
		Cash on hand	1,473 13
	<hr/> \$9,509 91		<hr/> \$9,509 91

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$44,000; value of investments, \$50,078.30.

THE MALDEN HOSPITAL, Hospital Rd., Malden. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Arthur H. Wellman, *President*; Harry Hudson Barrett, *Clerk*; John M. Corbett, *Treasurer*; Miss Charlotte M. Perry, *Superintendent*.

General hospital for the care of the sick and injured without consideration of age, sex, color, etc.; incurable and contagious diseases excepted.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

Number aided during year, 1,071; viz., 1,027 paying, 44 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$9,969 75	Salaries and wages	\$12,003 30
From beneficiaries	26,684 76	Printing, postage, and office supplies	418 97
Subscriptions and donations	5,209 92	Provisions and supplies	16,534 84
Income from investments	14,670 28	Heat, light, and power	5,302 72
From sale of supplies	249 57	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,148 59
From bonds due	6,250 00	For water	641 81
Paid on mortgage	1,000 00	Insurance	243 25
Miscellaneous	12 00	Tax on donated real estate	111 56
		Telephone service	151 24
		Miscellaneous	3,576 65
		Total current expenses	\$41,132 93
		Income invested	20,048 16
		Cash on hand	2,865 19
	<hr/> \$64,046 28		<hr/> \$64,046 28

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,000; value of investments, \$291,900.

MALDEN INDUSTRIAL AID SOCIETY, 15 and 21 Ferry St., Malden. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Erskine F. Bickford, *President*; Walter E. Piper, *Treasurer*; Mary H. Sharpe, *Matron*.

Maintenance of day nursery and district nurse, also aiding worthy poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 66, viz., 60 paying, 4 partly paying, 2 free; outside institution, 158; number of families aided, 42.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$273 47	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,518 60
Subscriptions and donations	1,533 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	34 20
Income from investments	1,528 30	Provisions and supplies	1,193 24
From care of children	296 85	Heat, light, and power	485 32
From city for rents	10 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	118 75
Miscellaneous	15 38	For rents	82 00
		Total current expenses	\$3,432 11
		Cash on hand	224 89
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	\$3,657 00		\$3,657 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,500; value of investments, \$36,911.46.

MALDEN YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 83 Pleasant St., Malden. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Myron H. Clark, *President*; Alexander Kerr, *Secretary*; Edwin Troland, *Treasurer*.

Improvement of spiritual, mental, social, and physical conditions of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year in institution, 166, viz., 54 paying, 112 free; outside institution, 30, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$288 86	Salaries and wages	\$5,737 48
From memberships	3,164 69	Printing, postage, and office supplies	558 43
Subscriptions and donations	3,157 47	Interest and insurance	1,067 76
Income from investments	166 39	Taxes and water	888 91
Locker receipts	150 08	Heat, light, and power	2,370 45
Rent stores and dormitory	5,922 40	Furnishings and incidental repairs	544 15
Physical department, bowling, etc.	444 08	Cost of dormitory	654 12
Educational department (summer school)	325 50	Gymnasium and swimming pool	943 86
Social department, pool, and billiards	482 60	Summer school	397 79
Entertainments	104 25	Social department	667 94
Miscellaneous	104 58	Boys' department	235 65
		Religious work	149 28
		Miscellaneous	64 26
		Total current expenses	\$14,280 08
		Cash on hand	30 82
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	\$14,310 90		\$14,310 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$103,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$6,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$11,660.34.

MONDAY CLUB OF MALDEN, Pleasant St., Malden. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Miss Bertha Hadaway, *President*; Mrs. Anna R. Nickerson, *Secretary*; Miss Guyda M. Moore, *Treasurer*.

Helping the deserving poor of the city and maintaining an industrial school for girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 165.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$352 03	Salaries and wages	\$327 80
From beneficiaries	28 39	Printing, postage, and office supplies	48 28
Subscriptions and donations	373 00	Provisions and supplies	27 50
Income from investments	11 20	Rent	233 38
Miscellaneous	442 86	Furnishings and incidental repairs	48 08
		Advertising	31 20
		Miscellaneous	101 07
		Total current expenses	\$817 31
		Income invested	372 04
		Cash on hand	18 13
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	\$1,207 48		\$1,207 48

VOLUNTEER CHILDREN'S HOME, 42 Seaview Ave., Malden. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Ballington Booth, *President*; Mrs. William Hubbell, *Secretary* and *Matron*; William Hubbell, *Treasurer*.

To aid mothers and children in temporary distress.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 15, viz., 12 paying, 49 partly paying, 14 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4 75	Salaries and wages . . .	\$719 94
From beneficiaries . . .	895 95	Printing, postage, and office supplies	36 93
Subscriptions and donations	2,133 90	Provisions and supplies . . .	830 23
		Car fare	24 70
		Heat, light, and power . . .	159 37
		Furnishings and repairs . . .	483 72
		Missionary fund	32 55
		Interest paid on Home . . .	102 50
		Medical aid and clothes . . .	32 61
		Telephone	21 81
		Miscellaneous	71 74
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,516 10
		Cash on hand	18 50
	\$2,534 60		\$2,534 60

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$5,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$1,700.

MANSFIELD.**MANSFIELD CIVIC ASSOCIATION AND BOYS' CLUB, North Main St., Mansfield. (Incorporated 1909.)**

Report for year ending September 16, 1913.

Charles C. Hagerty, *President*; William H. Lyons, *Secretary*; Francis D. Fairbanks, *Treasurer*; Ernest R. Knipe, *Superintendent*.

General improvement and finally to establish a training school for boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7 39	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,059 00
From beneficiaries . .	99 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	49 51
Subscriptions and donations	907 50	Rent	5 00
Entertainments	140 20	Heat, light, and power . .	137 96
Sales, products of classes .	104 45	Supplies for class work . .	54 75
Corporation dues	153 00	Superintendent's monthly expenses	87 43
Miscellaneous	21 45	Miscellaneous	23 04
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,416 69
		Cash on hand	17 00
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	\$1,433 69		\$1,433 69

MANSFIELD VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, Mansfield. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for fifteen months ending April 1, 1913.

Lucy F. Copeland, *President*; Jennie F. Copeland, *Secretary*; Mabel Dunbar, *Treasurer*; Alice Ruth Kittridge, *Nurse*.

To give to the sick, and especially those of limited means, the best home nursing under existing circumstances.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided, 157; visits, 604 paying, 69 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$229 96	Salaries and wages . . .	\$894 00
From beneficiaries . .	258 08	Printing, postage, office supplies, provisions, and supplies	52 96
Subscriptions and donations	734 30	Telephone	26 60
Income from investments .	1 68	Total current expenses . .	\$973 56
Miscellaneous	28 00	Cash on hand	278 46
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MARBLEHEAD.

MARBLEHEAD FEMALE HUMANE SOCIETY, Marblehead. (Incorporated 1845.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Philip B. Laskey, *President*; Mrs. William J. Goldthwait, *Secretary*; Miss Elizabeth B. Brown, *Treasurer*.

To aid the aged and infirm poor.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$74 38	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$3 75
Subscriptions and donations	225 25	Purchase of three bonds	3,020 00
Annuities and bequests to income	3,000 00	To beneficiaries	573 00
Income from investments	300 00	Safe deposit box	5 00
Rebate national bank tax	1 23		
Church collections	109 26	Total current expenses	\$3,601 75
		Cash on hand	108 37
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	\$3,710 12		\$3,710 12

Value of investments, \$10,000.

MARBLEHEAD VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, 202 Washington St., Marblehead. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Eliza P. G. Hall, *President*; Miss Mary E. Nichols, *Secretary*; Mrs. Lizzie B. Whitman, *Treasurer*.

For the benefit and assistance of those who may need the services of a trained nurse, and to encourage and foster every effort for the scientific care of the sick.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 143, viz., 95 paying, 1 partly paying, 46 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$867 47	Salaries and wages	\$868 50
From beneficiaries	208 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	37 87
Subscriptions and donations	576 00	Provisions and supplies	57 00
Income from investments	14 68	Rent	30 00
Entertainments	60 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	56 80
Returned from supplies	15 00	Telephone	14 35
Miscellaneous	7 00	Express	1 50
		Carriage hire	4 50
		Total current expenses	\$1,070 52
	<hr/>	Cash on hand	677 88
	\$1,748 40		<hr/>
			\$1,748 40

Value of investments, \$6,366.04.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF MARBLEHEAD, Pleasant St., Marblehead. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending September 20, 1913.

Jonathan E. Steele, *President*; John L. Noyes, *Secretary*; Thomas E. Ferguson, *Treasurer*; Frank Broughton, *General Secretary*.

The social, moral, intellectual, physical, and religious improvement of its members and of the young men of the town.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,369 47	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,282 66
From beneficiaries . . .	1,000 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	376 44
Subscriptions and donations	2,002 92	Supplies	153 32
Memberships	1,287 73	Heat, light, and power	613 49
For mortgage	1,000 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	520 08
Pool table, bowling, receipts, etc.	870 05	Interest	633 13
		Mortgage paid off	1,350 00
		Total current expenses	\$5,929 02
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	601 05
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	\$7,530 17		\$7,530 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$25,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$11,500; value of investments, \$1,000.

MARLBOROUGH.

MARLBOROUGH HOSPITAL, Union St., Marlborough. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Dr. Carmillus T. Warner, *President*; R. H. Beaudreau, *Secretary*; F. L. Claflin, *Treasurer*; Miss Minnie O. Robbins, *Matron*.

To establish and maintain a hospital for medical and surgical treatment during temporary sickness or injury.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 337, viz., 325 paying, 4 partly paying, 8 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$9,002 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,825 00
From beneficiaries . . .	6,189 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	80 00
Subscriptions and donations	6,754 00	Rent	225 00
Annuities and bequests to income	2,904 00	Provisions and supplies	1,662 00
Income from investments	1,368 00	Heat, light, and power	897 00
Miscellaneous	110 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	193 00
		Drugs and medicines	16 00
		Miscellaneous	926 00
Total current receipts	\$26,327 00	Total current expenses	\$8,825 00
Loans to income	2,000 00	Income invested	18,587 00
		Cash on hand	915 00
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	\$28,327 00		\$28,327 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$52,302.56; value of investments, \$31,243.

MEDFORD.

**MEDFORD HOME FOR AGED MEN AND WOMEN, 66 South St., Medford.
(Incorporated 1901.)**

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Mrs. Nellie F. Puffer, *President*; Mrs. Mary H. Hayes, *Secretary*; Joseph H. Chapin, *Treasurer*; Myra T. Leavitt, *Matron*.

To provide a home for needy men and women over sixty-five years of age, who have been residents of Medford for ten years or more. Nonsectarian; fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,117 92	Salaries and wages . . .	\$999 00
Entrance fees	500 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	40 50
Subscriptions and donations .	1,184 00	Provisions and supplies . .	840 10
Income from investments . .	20 00	Heat and light	186 06
Rents	97 34	Furnishings and incidental repairs	107 26
Sale of land	862 38	Water and street watering .	34 50
Annual fair	1,429 23	Funeral charges	71 00
Miscellaneous	317 14	Miscellaneous	90 97
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,869 39
		Cash on hand	3,158 62
	<hr/> \$5,528 01		<hr/> \$5,528 01

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,250; value of investments, \$500.

**MEDFORD SCHOLARSHIP OF HARVARD UNIVERSITY, TRUSTEES OF,
Medford. (Incorporated 1903.)**

Report for year ending May 11, 1913.

Rosewell B. Lawrence, *President*; Horace Guild, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To assist Medford students in Harvard University.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations .	\$158 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$4 66
		Beneficiary	150 00
		Cash on hand	3 84
	<hr/> \$158 50		<hr/> \$158 50

**MEDFORD VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, 14 Salem St., Medford.
(Incorporated 1910.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. Edward H. Phillips, *President*; Mrs. Everard I. Langell, *Secretary*; Mrs. Edward W. Hayes, *Treasurer*.

To provide for the sick the best nursing possible; to take measures for the control and suppression of tuberculosis; and to bring the charitable forces of the city of Medford into co-operation.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 147, viz., 64 paying, 51 partly paying, 32 free; number of families aided, 45.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$8 43	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,232 19
From beneficiaries . . .	360 63	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	151 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	925 23	Provisions and supplies . . .	134 61
Lawn party, etc. . . .	711 63	Rent	360 00
Red Cross seals	90 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	2 52
Miscellaneous	37 61	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4 56
		Employees' expenses	68 47
		Miscellaneous	85 25
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,039 10
		Cash on hand	94 43
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	\$2,133 53		\$2,133 53

**SARAH FULLER HOME FOR LITTLE DEAF CHILDREN, Woburn St.,
Medford. (Incorporated 1888.)**

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Elizabeth W. Wheelwright, *President*; Sarah W. Hallowell, *Secretary*; N. P. Hallowell, *Treasurer*; Eliza C. Clark, *Matron*.

The care and education of little deaf children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 16.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,368 49	Salaries and wages	\$3,444 54
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,313 40	Printing, postage, and office supplies	68 47
Income from investments	3,921 18	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,654 75
Board of Education	2,382 26	Furnishings and incidental repairs	292 55
		Board	44 50
		Express	70 99
		Miscellaneous	55 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$5,630 80
		Income invested	2,000 00
		Cash on hand	7,354 53
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	\$14,985 33		\$14,985 33

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,400; value of investments, \$81,977.50.

METHUEN.

HENRY C. NEVINS HOME FOR THE AGED AND INCURABLE, Broadway, Methuen. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Miss Ida Mason, *President*; Alfred C. Grant, *Secretary*; George W. Tenney, *Treasurer*; Miss Margaret Young, *Matron*.

A home for aged and indigent men and women at least sixty-five years of age, residents of Essex County for five years; and also for indigent persons, of whatever age, afflicted with incurable diseases. Fee, \$150.

Number of paid officers or employees, 13.

Number aided during year, 56.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,982 10	Salaries and wages	\$4,951 01
From beneficiaries	1,400 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	22 57
Income from investments	12,000 00	Provisions and supplies	4,377 77
Miscellaneous	1,085 38	Heat, light, and power	2,563 38
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,724 10
		Miscellaneous	1,846 48
		Total current expenses	\$15,485 31
		Cash on hand	982 17
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	\$16,467 48		\$16,467 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,000.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF METHUEN, Central Sq., Methuen. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

William D. Hartshorne, *President*; Lewis Grass, *Secretary*; F. W. Gay, *Treasurer*.

To develop the Christian character and usefulness of its members, and to improve the spiritual, mental, social, and physical condition of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year in institution, 300; outside institution, 60.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$67 42	Salaries and wages	\$2,663 56
From beneficiaries	1,084 78	Printing, postage, and office supplies	211 23
Subscriptions and donations	2,934 00	Provisions and supplies	347 31
Dormitories	183 05	Rent	300 00
Bowling, pool, and special classes	319 94	Heat, light, and power	594 63
Miscellaneous	64 21	Furnishings and incidental repairs	299 20
Total current receipts	\$4,653 40	Insurance, interest, etc. . . .	106 75
Loans to income	1,600 00	Old bills paid	422 58
		State committee	50 00
		Miscellaneous	124 86
		Total current expenses	\$5,120 12
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	133 28
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	\$6,253 40		\$6,253 40

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$2,000.

MIDDLEBOROUGH.

MONTGOMERY HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Middleborough. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

David G. Pratt, *President*; Mary B. Glidden, *Secretary*; Harriet M. S. Washburn, *Treasurer*.

To provide a home for destitute worthy aged people.

Cash on hand, \$16,914.93.

Not yet opened.

MILFORD.

HOME FOR THE AGED AT MILFORD, Milford. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending July, 1913.

Clifford A. Cook, *President*; C. A. Sumner, *Secretary*; W. A. Westcott, *Treasurer*.

Home for aged people.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,766 87	Cash on hand	\$5,999 83
Income from investments	232 96		
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	\$5,999 83		\$5,999 83

Home not yet opened.

MILFORD HOSPITAL, corner Main and Prospect Sts., Milford. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Heber D. Bowker, *President*; John E. Swift, *Secretary*; Percy L. Walker, *Treasurer*; Emily L. Lee, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of sick and disabled persons. Persons suffering from insanity, contagious and acute venereal diseases, or delirium tremens not admitted. Includes training school for nurses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year in institution, 540, viz., 380 paying, 77 partly paying, 83 free; outside institution, 24, viz., 14 paying, 6 partly paying, 4 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$983 89	Salaries and wages	\$5,410 92
From beneficiaries	14,011 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies	254 93
Subscriptions and donations	2,800 22	Provisions and supplies	5,151 42
Income from investments	794 23	Heat, light, and power	2,037 13
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	937 07
		Medical and surgical supplies	1,687 77
		Training school	1,384 42
		Dry goods, linen	180 62
		Telephone	61 68
		Miscellaneous	229 82
		Total current expenses	\$17,335 78
		Income invested	527 41
		Cash on hand	726 57
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	\$18,589 76		\$18,589 76

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$68,500; value of investments, \$16,339.83.

MILLBURY.**MILLBURY SOCIETY FOR DISTRICT NURSING, Millbury. (Incorporated 1911.)**

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Lurline W. Hooper, *President*; Mrs. Marion L. Gould, *Secretary*; Miss Lilla M. Streeter, *Treasurer*.

To assist those who may need the services of a trained nurse, and to encourage and foster every effort for the scientific care of the sick.

Number aided during year, 153, viz., 74 paying, 64 partly paying, 15 free; number of families aided, 125.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$543 82	Salaries and wages	\$828 71
Subscriptions and donations	135 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	30 64
Income from investments	24 01	Provisions and supplies	18 87
Nurses' receipts	391 55	Car fares	22 56
Membership fees	105 50	New England Telephone and Telegraph Company	25 45
Entertainments and sales	434 01	Legal expense	39 15
Miscellaneous	10 10	Entertainment expense	63 89
		Livery hire	9 50
		Miscellaneous	5 55
		Total current expenses	\$1,044 32
		Income invested	400 25
		Cash on hand at end of year	199 42
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	\$1,643 99		\$1,643 99

Value of investments, \$400.25.

ST. JOSEPH'S INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS, Park Hill, Millbury.
(Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Rev. Bernard S. Conaty, *President*; Thomas A. Dowd, *Secretary*;
William E. Montgomery, *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

Education of homeless and neglected boys of all denominations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 79, viz., 40 paying, 38 partly paying,
1 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$147 36	Salaries and wages	\$1,372 51
Subscriptions and donations	5,661 95	Printing, postage, and office supplies	69 76
Annuities and bequests to income	5,218 40	Provisions and supplies	3,636 33
Dairy	4,590 78	Heat, light, and power	801 68
Shops	350 39	Furnishings and incidental repairs	910 44
Clothing	134 21	Laundry and clothing	850 57
Band	10 80	Insurance and interest	696 50
Miscellaneous	166 42	Dairy	7,643 39
		Miscellaneous	298 66
		Total current expenses	\$16,279 84
		Cash on hand	47
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	\$16,280 31		\$16,280 31

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$31,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$5,000; value of investments, \$3,200.

MILTON.

KIDDER HOUSE ASSOCIATION, 101 Blue Hills Parkway, Milton. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Nathaniel T. Kidder, *President*; Roger Walcott, *Secretary*; Nathaniel H. Stone, *Treasurer*; John W. DeBruyn, *Superintendent*.

The study of social conditions in Milton with a view to their improvement.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$32 00	Salaries and wages	\$2,004 00
Subscriptions and donations	3,857 00	Heat, light, and power	182 00
Rent from Milton Public Library	340 00	Furnishings, incidental repairs, and alterations	440 12
Interest	12 95	For sidewalk	60 04
		Miscellaneous	196 24
Total current receipts	\$3,741 95		
Transferred from capital	74 52	Total current expenses	\$2,882 40
		Cash on hand	934 07
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	\$3,816 47		\$3,816 47

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,400.

LEOPOLD MORSE HOME FOR INFIRM HEBREWS AND ORPHANAGE, 100 Blue Hills Parkway, Milton (post-office address, Mattapan). (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending May 12, 1913.

Louis Hecht, Jr., *President*; Jacob M. Spitz, *Secretary*; Joseph M. Herman, *Treasurer*.

Assists Home for Jewish Children.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,721 28	Salaries and wages	\$75 00
Subscriptions and donations	175 00	Heat, light, and power	93 39
Income from investments	1,365 37	Furnishings and incidental repairs	81 36
Boylston educational fund	224 00	Caretaker	40 00
Rent of cottage	255 00	Water	29 75
Miscellaneous	12 25	Home for Jewish Children	1,650 00
		Miscellaneous	34 82
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		Total current expenses	\$2,004 32
		Cash on hand	5,748 58
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	\$7,752 90		\$7,752 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$59,178.58; value of investments, \$36,609.18.

MILTON CONVALESCENT HOME, 101 Edge Hill Rd., East Milton. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rev. Roderick Stebbins, *President*; Miss M. L. Richardson, *Secretary*; Miss Helen L. Jaques, *Treasurer*; Miss E. J. O'Brien, *Matron*.

For women and children, convalescent or debilitated: no consumptives received; no discrimination as to color or religion; those pay board who can do so.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 427, viz., 15 paying, 47 partly paying, 365 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$158 83	Salaries, wages, and labor .	\$1,467 84
From beneficiaries . .	491 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	66 63
Subscriptions and donations .	6,049 96	Provisions and supplies . .	3,323 41
Miscellaneous	13 76	Telephone	94 82
		Heat, light, and power . .	1,214 83
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	128 81
		Water	207 89
		Miscellaneous	87 56
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,591 79
		Cash on hand	122 36
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	\$6,714 15		\$6,714 15

Value of investments, \$1,993.61.

SWIFT CHARITY, Milton. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Rev. Roderick Stebbins, *President*; Samuel Gannett, *Secretary*; Nathaniel T. Kidder, *Treasurer*.

For the purpose of aiding, rendering more comfortable, and supporting deserving persons in the town of Milton, and lending money on mortgages at low rates of interest to poor women.

Number aided during year, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,769 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$4 00
Income from investments .	1,467 77	Legal services	50 00
		Charity	800 00
		Miscellaneous	8 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$862 50
		Cash on hand	2,374 82
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	\$3,236 82		\$3,236 82

Value of investments, \$32,651.80.

MONTAGUE.

**THE FARREN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL OF MONTAGUE CITY, MASS.,
Montague. (Incorporated 1900.)**

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Sister M. Evangelista, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*.

Treatment of medical, surgical, and obstetrical cases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 31.

Number aided during year, 522, viz., 484 paying, 17 partly paying, 21 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,104 57	Salaries and wages	\$2,783 32
From beneficiaries	18,146 61	Printing, postage, and office supplies	94 10
Annuities and bequests to income	2,500 00	Provisions and supplies	5,652 38
Interest	27 76	Heat, light, and power	1,524 15
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	3,454 66
		Insurance	830 00
		Miscellaneous	95 70
		Total current expenses	\$14,434 31
		Deposit in building fund for repairs	4,806 10
		Cash on hand	2,538 53
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	\$21,778 94		\$21,778 94

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$73,200.

NANTUCKET.

BOYS' GYMNASIUM CLUB OF NANTUCKET, North Beach St., Nantucket. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

John A. Burton, *President*; Frank W. Woodlock, *Secretary*; Arthur H. Gardner, *Treasurer*; George C. Wilton, *Superintendent*.

Physical culture. Classes for boys and girls aged twelve to twenty-one.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,271 11	Salaries and wages	\$1,412 00
From beneficiaries	109 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 82
Subscriptions and donations	1,630 00	Rent	350 00
Income from investments	45 50	Heat, light, and power	451 47
Miscellaneous	91 30	Furnishings and incidental repairs	240 02
		Miscellaneous	54 27
		Total current expenses	\$2,520 58
		Cash on hand	626 33
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	\$3,146 91		\$3,146 91

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF NANTUCKET, Nantucket. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Miss Lydia M. Folger, *President pro tem.*; Mrs. Elizabeth Folger, *Secretary*; Mrs. Annie S. Wait, *Treasurer*.

For the support and education of children who are not under proper government at home.

Number aided during year, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$271 63	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$2 00
Subscriptions and donations	41 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	67 69
Income from investments	269 00	Board	365 87
Rebate	6 15	Flowers	5 00
		Christmas for children	2 00
		Sundries	1 97
		Total current expenses	\$444 53
		Cash on hand	143 25
	<hr/> \$587 78		<hr/> \$587 78

Value of investments, \$5,800.

HELPING HAND SOCIETY, Nantucket. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mary A. Simpson, *President* and *Treasurer*; Anna Starbuck Jenks, *Secretary*.

To help the worthy poor.

Number aided during year, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$236 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$2 65
Subscriptions and donations	17 75	Provisions and supplies	7 00
		Total current expenses	\$7 65
		Cash on hand	247 03
	<hr/> \$254 68		<hr/> \$254 68

LADIES' HOWARD SOCIETY OF NANTUCKET, Nantucket. (Incorporated 1846.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mary J. Austin, *Vice President*; Anna F. Rule, *Secretary*; Lucretia R. Cartwright, *Treasurer*.

To relieve the poor.

Number aided during year, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$27 34
Subscriptions and donations	9 00
Income from investments	55 40
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Total current receipts	\$91 74
Drawn from savings bank	100 00
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	\$191 74

<i>Cr.</i>	
Provisions and supplies	\$26 70
Printing, postage, and office supplies	1 00
Cash aid furnished	134 00
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Total current expenses	\$161 70
Cash on hand	30 04
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	\$191 74

Value of investments, \$1,650.

NANTUCKET COTTAGE HOSPITAL, West Center St., Nantucket. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Rev. Edward L. Eustis, *President*; Mrs. Lena W. Grouard, *Secretary*; Alanson S. Barney, *Treasurer*.

The establishment and maintenance of a hospital and visiting nursing work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 19, viz., 11 paying, 4 partly paying, 4 free.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,998 75
From beneficiaries	81 20
Subscriptions and donations	1,311 80
Income from investments	146 04
Life memberships	400 00
Annual memberships	106 00
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Total current receipts	\$7,043 79
Borrowed on notes	1,500 00
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	\$8,543 79

<i>Cr.</i>	
Salaries and wages	\$207 80
Printing, postage, and office supplies	8 05
Heat, light, and power	1 10
Real estate	6,000 00
Miscellaneous	11 75
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Total current expenses	\$6,228 70
Cash on hand	2,315 09
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	\$8,543 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000.

THE RELIEF ASSOCIATION, Nantucket. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending January 16, 1913.

Gulielma Folger, *President*; Phebe W. Bunker, *Secretary*; Annie C. Brock, *Treasurer*.

The assistance of the worthy aged poor.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$388 85
Subscriptions and donations	1,408 31
Income from investments	638 22
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	\$2,435 38

<i>Cr.</i>	
Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$22 50
Cash aid rendered	963 00
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Total current expenses	\$985 50
Income invested	1,000 00
Cash on hand	449 88
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	\$2,435 38

Value of investments, \$21,500.

THE UNION BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Nantucket. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending May 7, 1913.

Mrs. Nancy J. Allen, *President*; Mrs. Etta C. Wood, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Helen E. Appleton, *Treasurer*.

To clothe needy children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 15; number of families aided, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$9 01	Salaries and wages	\$50 00
Income from investments	267 24	Provisions and supplies	183 54
		Cash on hand	42 71
	<hr/> \$276 25		<hr/> \$276 25

Value of investments, \$6,681.

NATICK.

MARIA HAYES HOME FOR AGED PERSONS, 28 East Central St., Natick. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending February 4, 1913.

Patrick H. Cooney, *President*; William F. Quinlan, *Secretary*;
Francis C. Perry, *Treasurer*.

To establish and maintain a home for old persons of respectable character.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,472 77	Furnishings and incidental	
Income from investments	1,367 45	repairs	\$122 36
		Cash on hand	2,717 86
	<hr/> \$2,840 22		<hr/> \$2,840 22

Value of real estate owned, \$10,000; value of investments, \$31,-
416.98.

NEEDHAM.

THE GLOVER HOME AND HOSPITAL, Chestnut St., Needham. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for nine months ending December 31, 1912.

William G. Moseley, *President*; Mrs. Helen B. Chapman, *Secretary*;
Charles E. Stanwood, *Treasurer*; Miss M. E. Coombs, *Superintendent*.

To aid deserving persons, preferably women and children and residents of Needham.

Number of paid employees, 5.

Number aided, 13, viz., 11 paying, 1 partly paying, 1 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$108 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$573 60
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,038 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	55 73
Income from investments . . .	946 55	Provisions and supplies . . .	298 11
Income receivable . . .	1,265 00	Heat, light, and water . . .	133 98
Hospital bills receivable . . .	524 51	Hospital medical supplies . . .	131 41
Miscellaneous . . .	523 17	Miscellaneous . . .	145 83
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,338 66
		Cash on hand . . .	3,067 27
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	\$4,405 93		\$4,405 93

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes (including equipment), \$13,194.71; value of investments, \$24,098.90.

THE MOTHERS' REST ASSOCIATION OF NEWTON CENTER, 8 High St., Needham Heights. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending October 20, 1913.

Mrs. Samuel Ward, *President*; Mrs. H. H. Kendall, *Secretary*; Mrs. F. S. Risteen, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Myra Taylor, *Matron*.

A home to which tired mothers with their little children may be invited to rest.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 310.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$75 75	Salaries and wages . . .	\$632 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,390 35	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	185 52
Income from investments . . .	28 06	Provisions and supplies . . .	999 93
From entertainments . . .	2,534 02	Heat, light, and power . . .	43 98
Miscellaneous . . .	25 15	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	440 34
		Telephone . . .	29 21
		Memorial fund . . .	1,000 00
		Building fund . . .	260 44
		Miscellaneous . . .	25 76
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,617 18
		Cash on hand . . .	436 15
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	\$4,053 33		\$4,053 33

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,000; value of investments, \$7,346.23.

NEW BEDFORD.

ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE OF NEW BEDFORD, 1070 Purchase St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending July 5, 1913.

Rev. William B. Geoghegan, *President*; Miss Augusta Thornton, *Secretary*; Miss Susan A. Croacher, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Allena W. Ashley, *Caretaker*.

The care of homeless cats and dogs.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of animals aided, 862.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$385 16	Salaries and wages	\$323 30
Subscriptions and donations	724 67	Printing, postage, and office supplies	97 22
Sale, board, etc., of animals	324 20	Provisions and supplies	250 66
		Rent	318 00
		Heat, light, and power	7 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	158 89
		Chloroform and medicine	49 50
		Car fares	15 35
		Money refunded	50
		Veterinary fees	4 00
		Miscellaneous	39 87
		Total current expenses	\$1,264 29
		Cash on hand	169 74
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	\$1,434 03		\$1,434 03

**ASSOCIATION FOR THE RELIEF OF AGED WOMEN OF NEW BEDFORD,
New Bedford. (Incorporated 1866.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Swift, *President*; Miss Gertrude W. Baxter, *Secretary*; Miss Elizabeth Watson, *Treasurer*.

To furnish assistance and relief to respectable American women, sixty years of age or over, who have lived in New Bedford five or more years.

Number aided during year, 93.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$855 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$25 01
Subscriptions	142 00	Beneficiaries	13,182 25
Income from investments	12,919 13	Miscellaneous	25 00
		Total current expenses	\$13,232 26
		Income invested	156 84
		Cash on hand	528 01
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	\$13,917 11		\$13,917 11

Value of investments, \$230,549.65.

**THE CHARITY ORGANIZATION SOCIETY OF NEW BEDFORD, 12 Mar-
ket St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1900.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Frederick H. Taber, *President*; John H. Clifford, *Secretary*; Vincent Francis, *Treasurer*; Florence M. Dyer, *General Secretary*.

To prevent begging and imposition, diminish pauperism, and encourage thrift, self-dependence, and industry.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 1,974; number of families aided, 312.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$647 50	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,235 83
Subscriptions and donations	2,575 10	Printing, postage, and office supplies	279 27
Income from investments .	250 00	Provisions and supplies .	449 95
		Rent	35 00
		Miscellaneous	306 73
		Total current expenses .	\$3,306 78
		Cash on hand	165 82
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	\$3,472 60		\$3,472 60

Value of investments, \$5,000.

HOWLAND FUND FOR AGED WOMEN, Masonic Building, New Bedford.
(Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

William W. Crapo, *President*; Oliver Prescott, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

To administer the trust fund given by the will of Sylvia Ann Howland for the benefit of poor, aged, and infirm females of the city of New Bedford.

Number aided during year, 49.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$991 15	Salaries and wages . . .	\$38 00
Income from investments .	2,796 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies	6 40
		To beneficiaries	2,457 50
		Taxes	19 30
		Total current expenses .	\$2,521 20
		Income invested	34 96
		Cash on hand	1,231 01
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	\$3,787 17		\$3,787 17

Value of investments, \$54,052.53.

JAMES ARNOLD FUND, TRUSTEES OF, New Bedford. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending October 15, 1913.

Oliver Prescott, *President*; Henry S. Knowles, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

For the benefit of the deserving poor in New Bedford.

Number aided during year, 13 individuals and 6 charitable institutions.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,582 89	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$0 75
Income from investments . .	6,139 46	To beneficiaries . . .	5,875 00
		Accrued interest . . .	2 36
		Total current expenses . .	\$5,878 11
		Income invested . . .	220 00
		Cash on hand . . .	2,624 24
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	\$8,722 35		\$8,722 35

Value of investments, \$118,403.38.

LADIES' CITY MISSION SOCIETY IN NEW BEDFORD, 755 South First St., and corner of Mill and Second Sts., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1866.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Miss Betsey B. Winslow, *President*; Mrs. Helen K. Milliken, *Secretary*; Mrs. Annie C. Howland, *Treasurer*; Rev. Charles F. Hersey, *Superintendent*.

A general undenominational charity to help the needy without regard to age, sex, or nationality, by maintaining (1) a medical dispensary, (2) a men's lodging house, (3) a wood yard, (4) a general social, educational, and religious work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year in institution, approximately 2,100; outside institution, approximately 2,900.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$777 44	Salaries and wages . .	\$3,230 95
From beneficiaries . . .	4,126 28	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	18 55
Subscriptions and donations .	4,638 52	Provisions and supplies . .	2,090 99
Income from investments . .	1,194 15	Insurance . . .	81 76
Bequest . . .	200 00	Heat, light, and power . .	754 08
Tax rebate . . .	134 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,056 75
Rent . . .	167 50	Superintendent and labor . .	2,606 23
Wood sold . . .	3,607 10	Telephone and water rates . .	275 42
Miscellaneous . . .	33 20	Sunday school relief, club, dispensary . . .	1,516 85
		Wood bought . . .	2,411 87
		Miscellaneous . . .	122 29
		Total current expenses . .	\$14,165 74
		Income invested . . .	200 00
		Cash on hand . . .	512 83
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	\$14,878 57		\$14,878 57

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$37,000; value of investments, \$24,923.69.

**NEW BEDFORD ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION, Acushnet Ave.,
New Bedford. (Incorporated 1909.)**

Report for year ending November 13, 1913.

William B. Geoghegan, *President*; Edwin P. Seaver, *Secretary*;
Curtis M. Pierce, *Treasurer*; Dr. Sumner H. Remick, *Superintendent*.

Care of incipient and advanced cases of consumption.

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year in institution, 162, viz., 155 partly paying, 7 free; outside institution, 202.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$481 20	Salaries and wages . .	\$8,870 26
From beneficiaries . .	4,580 90	Provisions and supplies .	10,804 41
Income from investments .	1,193 89	Heat, light, and power .	4,020 62
Board from city and patients . . .	23,844 83	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	3,049 36
Clinic fund . . .	1,787 86	Clinic . . .	771 32
Sale of bonds . . .	2,000 00	Medical supplies and general expense . . .	2,749 83
Construction . . .	500 00	New Bedford institutions for savings . . .	1,277 86
Miscellaneous . . .	152 45	Miscellaneous . . .	263 83
		Total current expenses .	\$31,807 49
		Cash on hand . . .	2,733 64
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	\$34,541 13		\$34,541 13

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$70,000; value of investments, \$28,000.

**NEW BEDFORD CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY, 12 Market St., New Bedford.
(Incorporated 1843.)**

Report for year ending May 13, 1913.

Dr. Anna W. Croacher, *President*; Mrs. Charles H. L. Delano, *Secretary*; Miss Helen H. Allen, *Treasurer*; Miss Alice Fiske, *General Secretary*.

For the purpose of relieving and educating destitute children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 110, viz., 10 paying, 20 partly paying, 80 free.

Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 439, number of placing-out visitors, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$367 30	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,522 34
From beneficiaries . .	1,165 55	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	373 41
Subscriptions and donations	499 75	Heat, light, and power . .	20 00
Income from investments . .	11,509 92	Placing and maintenance of children . . .	5,943 20
Christmas prize . . .	50 00	Fee and bond for administrator of Kempton estate	105 00
Miscellaneous . . .	39 27	Interest account . . .	433 03
		Loans paid . . .	200 00
Total current expenses . .	\$13,631 79		
Loans to income . . .	200 00	Total current expenses . .	\$9,597 03
		Income invested . . .	3,199 51
		Cash on hand . . .	1,035 25
	\$13,831 79		\$13,831 79

Value of investments, \$213,189.30.

NEW BEDFORD COUNTRY WEEK SOCIETY, New Bedford. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Eliza G. M. Jenney, *President*; Ruth E. Jennings, *Secretary*; Clara G. Wilde, *Treasurer*.

To provide boarding places in the country for poor children and adults and the sick. To furnish invalids with nourishing food and medicines.

Number aided during year, 87, viz., 2 paying, 4 partly paying. 81 free; number of families aided, 29.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$158 00	Printing, postage and office supplies . . .	\$11 47
From beneficiaries . .	66 00	Provisions and supplies . .	100 83
Subscriptions and donations	442 25	Board in the country . .	622 79
Income from investments . .	20 00	Miscellaneous . . .	22 50
Entertainments and sales . .	285 76		
On deposit . . .	1,268 03	Total current expenses . .	\$757 64
		Cash on hand . . .	1,482 40
Total current receipts . .	\$2,240 04		\$2,240 04

Value of investments held by trustees for benefit of the society, \$500.

NEW BEDFORD DAY NURSERY, 16 Howard St. and 203 County St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending April 15, 1913.

Miss Elise Swift, *President*; Miss Alice Wood, *Secretary*; Mrs. Elizabeth R. Holmes, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary E. Thompson and Miss Susan F. Smith, *Matrons*.

Day care for children of working parents. Takes white children, resident in this city and between ages of six months and eight years. No restrictions as to creed or nationality. Feeble-minded and diseased not taken.

Number of paid officers or employees, 15.

Number aided during year, 313, viz., 289 paying, 24 free; number of families aided, 173.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$2,167 55	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,979 09
Subscriptions and donations . . .	4,107 42	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,227 45
Income from investments . . .	767 67	Heat, light, and power . . .	444 98
Entertainments . . .	265 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	507 59
Total current receipts . . .	\$7,307 64	Repairs and improvements . . .	321 08
Expenses over receipts . . .	585 53	Water and medicines . . .	92 44
		Insurance . . .	109 20
		Christmas . . .	60 19
		Gardens . . .	100 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	51 15
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	\$7,893 17		\$7,893 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$19,692.44; value of investments, \$20,119.82.

NEW BEDFORD DORCAS SOCIETY, 12 Market St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Esther G. Gifford, *President*; Mrs. Annette M. C. Jahn, *Secretary*; Mrs. S. Emma Perry, *Treasurer*.

To provide clothing for worthy poor of the Protestant faith; friendly visiting among the sick and needy.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 528; number of families aided, 132.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$170 71	Salaries and wages . . .	\$10 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	12 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	3 40
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	275 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	730 87
Income from investments . . .	300 00	Miscellaneous . . .	1 25
		Total current expenses . . .	\$745 52
		Cash on hand . . .	12 19
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	\$757 71		\$757 71

Value of investments, \$12,389.68.

**NEW BEDFORD HOME FOR AGED, 396 West Middle St., New Bedford.
(Incorporated 1902.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Elizabeth C. Carter, *President*; Juan F. B. Drummond, M.D., *Secretary*; Flossie M. Freedom, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Margaret Murray, *Matron*.

To maintain a home for indigent men and women over sixty years of age, without restriction to race or creed. Admission fee for residents, \$150; for nonresidents, \$200.

Number of paid employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 11, viz., 3 partly paying, 8 free; outside institution, 6, viz., 4 partly paying, 2 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,115 56	Salaries and wages . .	\$577 12
From beneficiaries . .	167 91	Provisions and supplies . .	613 18
Subscriptions and donations . .	28 35	Heat, light, and power . .	231 34
Income from investments . .	1,248 02	Furnishings and incidental	
Contribution box . . .	9 06	repairs	211 29
Illustrated lecture . . .	21 27	Miscellaneous	75 44
Miscellaneous	136 62		
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,708 37
		Income invested	65 00
		Cash on hand	953 42
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	\$2,726 79		\$2,726 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,000; value of investments, \$40,613.27.

NEW BEDFORD INSTRUCTIVE NURSING ASSOCIATION, Coffin Building, Pleasant St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Mrs. Jireh Swift, *President*; Mrs. James E. Stanton, Jr., *Secretary*; Miss Sarah E. Seabury, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Jessie M. Smith, *Superintendent*.

To care for the sick poor in their own homes and to instruct them in home nursing.

Number of paid employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 1,474, viz., 791 paying, 130 partly paying, 553 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$39 91	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,839 84
From beneficiaries . . .	323 35	Postage	24 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,352 00	Supplies	19 50
Bequest to income	1,000 00	Rent of office and telephone . . .	282 85
Income from investments . . .	262 96	Heat, light, and power . . .	4 50
Metropolitan Insurance Com- pany for care of sick policyholders	3,792 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	84 05
Miscellaneous	380 10	Car fares	488 60
		Uniforms	208 48
Total current receipts . . .	\$6,150 32	Laundry	135 00
Drawn from investments . . .	1,000 00	Miscellaneous	63 37
	\$7,150 32	Total current expenses . . .	\$7,150 19
		Cash on hand	13
			\$7,150 32

Value of investments, \$2,550.

NEW BEDFORD PORT SOCIETY, 15 Bethel St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1832.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

George R. Phillips, *President*; Olin S. Paine, *Secretary*; Nathan C. Hathaway, *Treasurer*; Rev. Charles S. Thurber, *Superintendent*; Mrs. Charles S. Thurber, *Matron*.

To feed, clothe, and shelter destitute and shipwrecked seamen, and to help them to destination; also, to protect them while in port.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 539, viz., 283 paying, 125 partly paying, 131 free; number of families aided, 21.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,494 69	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,350 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,457 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	55 56
Income from investments . . .	1,551 31	Heat, light, and power . . .	72 72
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	522 16
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,000 44
		Income invested	1,822 50
		Cash on hand	2,682 31
	\$6,505 25		\$6,505 25

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,630; value of investments, \$31,200.

NEW BEDFORD PORT SOCIETY, LADIES' BRANCH, Bethel St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1861.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Abbie F. Taber, *President*; Lucy F. Brownell, *Secretary*; Mary K. Taber, *Treasurer*.

Care of sick and disabled seamen (works with New Bedford Port Society).

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided, 26.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$10,849 80	Salaries and wages	\$300 00
Subscriptions and donations	58 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	65
Income from investments	2,510 32	Rent	12 00
Miscellaneous	65 43	Beneficiaries	1,975 00
		Taxes	141 86
		Miscellaneous	267 43
		Total current expenses	\$2,696 94
		Cash on hand	10,786 61
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	\$13,483 55		\$13,483 55

Value of investments, \$33,500.

NEW BEDFORD WOMEN'S REFORM AND RELIEF ASSOCIATION, 180 Allen St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1859.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Miss Betsey B. Winslow, *President*; Mrs. S. Emma Perry, *Secretary*; Mrs. Annette M. C. Jahn, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Frances S. Keyes, *Matron*.

Reform, relief, and care of needy and unfortunate women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year in institution, 68, viz., 2 paying, 20 partly paying, 46 free; outside institution, 120, all free; number of families aided, 105.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2 11	Salaries and wages	\$365 00
From beneficiaries	123 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	5 25
Subscriptions and donations	197 00	Provisions and supplies	228 41
Annuities and bequests to income	100 00	Telephone	26 25
Income from investments	428 00	Heat, light, and power	58 75
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	8 75
		Water rates	5 00
		Advertising	4 25
		Miscellaneous	1 25
		Total current expenses	\$702 91
		Income invested (bequest)	100 00
		Cash on hand	47 20
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	\$850 11		\$850 11

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$10,880.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$42 99	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,069 25
Subscriptions and donations . . .	832 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	18 50
Income from investments	619 41	Provisions and supplies . . .	57 37
Miscellaneous	510 32	Rent	375 00
		Heat, light, and power . . .	256 20
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	88 51
		Miscellaneous	28 75
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,893 58
		Cash on hand	111 14
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	\$2,004 72		\$2,004 72

Value of investments, \$12,342.75.

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL OF NEW BEDFORD, Page St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending January 31, 1913.

Charles W. Clifford, *President*; Charles M. Hussey, *Secretary*; James P. Francis, *Treasurer*; Susan E. Emmott, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of sick and injured.

Number of paid officers or employees, 90.

Number aided during year, 2,487, viz., 752 paying, 1,006 partly paying, 729 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,030 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$24,047 39
From beneficiaries	42,171 40	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,256 95
Subscriptions and donations . . .	6,397 67	Provisions and supplies . . .	31,892 44
Income from investments	16,200 36	Heat, light, and power . . .	7,813 08
Miscellaneous	1,006 89	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,239 51
		Extraordinary repairs . . .	4,276 93
		Care of grounds	1,084 29
		Insurance	700 00
		Miscellaneous	46 30
		Total current expenses . .	\$72,356 89
		Cash on hand	449 62
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	\$72,806 51		\$72,806 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$405,157.38; value of investments, \$369,223.39.

ST. MARY'S HOME OF NEW BEDFORD, corner Liberty and Kempton Sts., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Daniel F. Feehan, *President*; Sister Edigna, *Secretary and Superior*; Rt. Rev. H. J. Smyth, *Treasurer*.

Care of orphans and destitute old people.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 313, viz., 5 paying, 72 partly paying, 236 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,401 99	Salaries and wages . . .	\$548 00
From beneficiaries . . .	5,617 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	273 15
Subscriptions and donations . . .	9,756 75	Provisions and supplies . . .	7,026 00
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,918 92	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,213 21
Rents . . .	144 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,367 31
Concert . . .	533 39	Interest . . .	2,772 12
Donations, opening day . . .	565 00	Insurance . . .	370 25
Miscellaneous . . .	25 00	Debt paid . . .	6,000 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	93 50
		Total current expenses . . .	\$19,663 54
		Cash on hand . . .	1,299 01
	<hr/> \$20,962 55		<hr/> \$20,962 55

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$120,000; amount of mortgage, \$45,000.

UNION FOR GOOD WORKS, Market St., New Bedford. (Incorporated 1872.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Oliver Prescott, *President*; Morris R. Brownell, *Secretary*; James P. Francis, *Treasurer*; Miss Agnes Snow, *Superintendent of Depository*; Miss Clara B. Watson, *Superintendent of Boys' Amusement Rooms*.

Charity and work for the good of young people, and general relief work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,658 01	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,002 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	463 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	19 78
Income from investments . . .	3,820 87	Heat, light, and power . . .	692 23
Depository and sewing women's committee . . .	395 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	85 81
Rentals . . .	95 00	Relief work . . .	3,325 00
James Arnold fund . . .	3,500 00	Insurance . . .	90 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	137 51
		Total current expenses . . .	\$7,352 33
		Income invested . . .	500 00
		Cash on hand . . .	2,106 55
	<hr/> \$9,958 88		<hr/> \$9,958 88

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$46,518.01; value of investments, \$68,925.75.

NEWBURYPORT.

ANNA JAKES HOSPITAL, Highland Ave., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles W. Moseley, *President*; Laurence P. Dodge, *Secretary*; Henry B. Little, *Treasurer*; Jesse E. Grant, *Superintendent*.

Care of the sick in Newburyport, Amesbury, Salisbury, Newbury, and West Newbury.

Number of paid officers or employees, 32.

Number aided during year in institution, 589, viz., 403 paying and partly paying, 186 free; outside institution, 152, viz., 107 paying and partly paying, 45 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,402 64	Salaries and wages . .	\$8,781 65
From beneficiaries . .	13,063 07	Provisions and supplies .	9,012 39
Subscriptions and donations	3,417 63	Heat, light, and power .	3,352 77
Income from investments .	12,632 66	Furnishings and incidental	
Notes receivable . . .	1,675 00	repairs	2,409 48
		Interest and legal expenses	598 60
		Premiums	126 88
		Paid on debt	6,950 00
		Miscellaneous	866 90
		Total current expenses .	\$32,098 67
		Cash on hand	1,092 33
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	\$33,191 00		\$33,191 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$95,875; value of investments, \$376,343.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF NEWBURYPORT, 71 State St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending October 16, 1913.

Joshua Hale, *President*; Florence W. Thurlow, *Secretary*; I. T. Rule, *Treasurer*; Mrs. F. B. Lewis, *General Secretary*.

To secure the concurrent action of the charities in Newburyport in order to raise the needy above the need of relief.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number of families aided during year, 189.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7 79	Salaries and wages	\$2,007 00
Subscriptions and donations	3,985 07	Printing, postage, and office supplies	134 38
		Provisions and supplies	1,142 19
		Rent	163 00
		Heat, light, and power	14 26
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	8 50
		Telephone	50 52
		Miscellaneous	88 43
		Total current expenses	\$3,608 28
		Cash on hand	384 58
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	\$3,992 86		\$3,992 86

GENERAL CHARITABLE SOCIETY OF NEWBURYPORT, Newburyport.
(Incorporated 1856.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Miss Jane R. Wood, 172 High St., *President*; Miss Georgiana D. Balch, *Secretary*; Hon. William F. Houston, *Treasurer*.

Assisting the worthy poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families aided during year, 107.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$77 84	Salaries and wages	\$150 00
Income from investments	1,720 02	Monthly disbursements	1,578 89
From members' dues	31 75	Treasurer's bond	100 00
		Total current expenses	\$1,828 89
		Cash on hand	72
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	\$1,829 61		\$1,829 61

Value of investments, \$41,033.24.

MARINE SOCIETY AT NEWBURYPORT IN NEW ENGLAND, 165 High St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1777.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Richard Newell, *President*; William H. Bayley, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Relief of its members and widows of deceased members.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$655 37	Salaries and wages	\$150 00
Income from investments	51 41	Beneficiaries	211 00
		Miscellaneous	60 84
		Total current expenses	\$421 84
		Cash on hand	284 94
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	\$706 78		\$706 78

Value of investments, \$6,937.50.

MERRIMACK HUMANE SOCIETY, Newburyport. (Incorporated 1804.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Thomas C. Simpson, *President*; Lawrence B. Cushing, *Secretary*; William R. Johnson, *Treasurer*.

For the recovery of persons who meet with accidents which produce in them the appearance of death, and for the preservation of human life and the alleviation of its miseries.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$9 51	Salaries and wages . . .	\$67 00
Income from investments . . .	575 20	New life saving apparatus . . .	20 62
Rebate on bank tax . . .	6 22	Medal for life saving . . .	6 00
Life membership fee . . .	5 00	To hospitals . . .	375 00
		Advertising annual meeting . . .	3 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$471 62
		Income invested . . .	109 80
		Cash on hand . . .	14 51
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	\$595 93		\$595 93

Value of investments, \$14,235.84.

NEWBURYPORT ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION, Newburyport. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending April 24, 1913.

Mrs. George T. Howard, *President*; Miss Edith S. Dole, *Secretary*; Mrs. Caroline M. Manthan, *Treasurer*.

Relief and control of tuberculosis.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 73; number of families aided, 30.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$315 05	Salaries and wages . . .	\$920 57
Subscriptions and donations . . .	687 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	77 80
Bazaar and fete day . . .	1,226 75	Provisions and supplies . . .	476 99
Red Cross seals . . .	78 98	Rent . . .	77 00
Interest . . .	15 31	Heat, light, and power . . .	12 65
		Lecturer . . .	25 00
		Red Cross seals . . .	13 82
		Expenses of fete . . .	100 03
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,703 86
		Income invested . . .	200 00
		Cash on hand . . .	419 23
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	\$2,323 09		\$2,323 09

NEWBURYPORT BETHEL SOCIETY, Newburyport. (Incorporated 1857.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Miss Alice G. Jones, *President*; Mrs. Minerva E. Bayley, *Secretary*; Mrs. Abbie L. Bray, *Treasurer*.

The temporal and spiritual welfare of seamen and their families.
Number aided during year, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$105 08	To sick and disabled seamen .	\$105 00
Income from investments .	220 40	Seamen's widows . . .	100 00
Bank tax rebate . . .	35 35	Missionary work . . .	82 00
Membership fees . . .	44 25	Miscellaneous . . .	5 90
Legacy	25 00		
		Total current expenses .	\$292 90
		Cash on hand . . .	137 18
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	\$430 08		\$430 08

Value of investments, \$4,673.81.

NEWBURYPORT FEMALE CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Newburyport. (Incorporated 1805.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Elizabeth C. M. Noyes, *President*; Miss Caroline L. Colman, *Secretary and Treasurer*.

To aid in their own homes indigent female children between the ages of three and thirteen years, preference given to orphans.

Number aided during year, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$110 07	Paid to beneficiaries . .	\$120 00
Income from investments .	117 64	Interest added to capital .	31 90
Miscellaneous . . .	17 85		
		Total current expenses .	\$151 90
		Cash on hand . . .	93 66
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	\$245 56		\$245 56

Value of investments, \$2,340.

NEWBURYPORT HOMŒOPATHIC HOSPITAL, 267 High St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

John C. Rolfe, *President*; Charles F. Johnson, M.D., *Secretary*; Charles F. A. Hall, M.D., *Treasurer*; Miss Theodosia P. Manwell, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of sick and disabled persons in Newburyport and its vicinity who desire Homœopathic treatment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8 (also 13 nurses in training school who receive monthly allowance).

Number aided during year, 293, viz., 15 paying, 253 partly paying, 25 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$436 66	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,540 17
From beneficiaries . . .	6,057 98	Provisions and supplies . .	2,799 53
Subscriptions and donations . .	858 00	Rent	100 00
Income from investments . .	1,613 47	Heat, light, and power . .	968 38
Training school	47 33	Furnishings and incidental	
Sale of bond	1,033 75	repairs	133 75
Proceeds two shares bank		Medical supply	779 26
stock in liquidation . . .	220 00	Expense	732 49
Miscellaneous	10 06	Interest	62 44
		Total current expenses . .	\$10,116 02
		Cash on hand	161 23
	\$10,277 25		\$10,277 25

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$23,645.53; value of investments, \$35,651.58.

**NEWBURYPORT SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF AGED FEMALES,
75 High St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1839.)**

Report for eleven and one-half months ending March 31, 1913.

Hannah B. Osgood, *President*; Miss Harriot W. Colman, *Secretary*; Frank O. Woods, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Elsie I. Watson, *Superintendent*.

Home for Protestant American women at least sixty years of age, residents of Newburyport. Admission, \$50 and conveyance of property to Home. Also furnishes outside relief to old ladies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 19; outside institution, 76; number of families aided, 74.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$26 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,985 21
From beneficiaries . . .	50 00	Printing, postage, and office	
Income from investments . .	5,926 92	supplies	6 12
Membership fees	18 75	Provisions and supplies . .	1,335 84
Bank tax refunded	60 14	Deposited in savings bank . .	50 00
Rent	390 00	Heat, light, and power . .	970 85
Garden	20 64	Furnishings and incidental	
Miscellaneous	2 34	repairs	375 56
		Outside relief	1,749 83
		Tax	63 91
Total current receipts . .	\$6,494 98	Telephone	31 94
Loans to income	2,000 00	Insurance	75 00
		Garden	53 39
		Water	10 00
		Livery stable	24 25
		Miscellaneous	2 04
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,733 99
		Cash on hand	1,760 99
	\$8,494 98		\$8,494 98

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,500; value of investments, \$156,356.86.

NEWBURYPORT SOCIETY FOR THE RELIEF OF AGED MEN, 333 High St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

L. W. Sargent, *President*; W. C. Coffin, *Secretary*; William Illsley, *Treasurer*; Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Little, *Superintendent* and *Matron*.

Home for men over sixty-five years of age, citizens of Newburyport for ten years, in good physical and mental condition. Admission fee, \$100.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$100 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$925 87
Income from investments . . .	2,828 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	18 08
From farm . . .	390 01	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,405 59
From board . . .	252 11	Heat, light, and power . . .	341 54
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Total current receipts . . .	\$3,570 37	Insurance . . .	30 00
Loans to income . . .	148 42	Funeral expenses . . .	59 00
<hr/>		New furnishings . . .	89 42
		Miscellaneous . . .	53 12
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,978 25
		Income invested . . .	740 54
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	\$3,718 79		\$3,718 79

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$16,321.61; value of investments, \$64,237.95.

NEWBURYPORT YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 98 State St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Edgar L. Willard, *President*; John H. Babb, *Secretary*; John T. Lunt, *Treasurer*.

Improvement of the spiritual, mental, social, and physical conditions of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 253, viz., 212 paying, 12 partly paying, 29 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$3 11	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,213 32
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,861 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	211 90
Income from investments	414 04	Heat, light, and power . . .	396 90
Miscellaneous	1,389 25	Furnishings and incidental repairs	371 01
		Miscellaneous	1,871 94
Total current receipts	\$4,667 65	Total current expenses . . .	\$5,065 07
Loans to income	400 00	Cash on hand	2 58
	\$5,067 65		\$5,067 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$48,000; value of investments, \$12,000.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 13 Market St., Newburyport. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Mrs. Florence F. Conant, *President*; Mrs. Annie S. A. Field, *Secretary*; Mrs. Annie C. Moody, *Treasurer*; Miss Isabel J. MacKenzie, *Superintendent*.

Boarding home; educational; philanthropic.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 130, all paying.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$465 24	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,390 07
From beneficiaries	3,577 13	Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 23
Subscriptions and donations . . .	284 05	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,344 83
Income from investments	100 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	289 12
Miscellaneous	450 12	Miscellaneous	44 20
		Total current expenses . . .	\$4,081 45
		Income invested	39 07
		Cash on hand	756 02
	\$4,876 54		\$4,876 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$5,500; value of investments, \$1,739.07.

NEWTON.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF NEWTON, 829 Washington St., Newtonville. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles S. Ensign, *President*; Mary R. Martin, *Secretary*; John F. Lothrop, *Treasurer*.

To raise the needy poor above the need of relief, to prevent begging and imposition, and to diminish pauperism.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number of families aided, 61.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$640 24	Salaries and wages	\$636 00
Subscriptions and donations	764 88	Printing, postage, and office supplies	111 47
Income from investments	17 64	Rent	100 00
		Miscellaneous	10 00
		Total current expenses	\$857 47
		Cash on hand	565 29
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	\$1,422 76		\$1,422 76

Value of investments, \$500.

NEWTON DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION, Newton. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. F. E. Stanley, *President*; Mrs. H. P. Converse, *Secretary*; Mrs. Charles L. Smith, *Treasurer*; Miss E. W. Hamilton, *Superintendent of Nurses*.

To care for the sick poor in their homes, and to give instruction in home nursing and wholesome living.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$668 92	Salaries and wages	\$1,516 10
From beneficiaries	660 24	Printing, postage, and office supplies	77 10
Subscriptions and donations	1,300 00	Provisions and supplies	99 11
Income from investments	16 37	Car fares and carriage hire	276 78
		Miscellaneous	31 01
		Total current expenses	\$2,000 10
		Cash on hand	645 43
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	\$2,645 53		\$2,645 53

NEWTON HOSPITAL, Washington St., Newton Lower Falls. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

William C. Bray, *President*; Alonzo R. Weed, *Secretary*; George Royal Pulsifer, *Treasurer*; Mary M. Riddle, *Matron*.

Care of sick poor in Newton.

Number of paid officers or employees, 124 (including 61 pupil nurses).

Number aided during year, 2,153, viz., 1,190 paying, 484 partly paying, 479 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,535 64	Salaries and wages . . .	\$31,509 53
From beneficiaries . . .	64,576 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	824 91
Subscriptions and donations . . .	18,070 82	Provisions and supplies . . .	42,325 26
Income from investments . . .	6,368 69	Heat, light, and power . . .	7,377 54
Special fund . . .	9,000 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	4,947 90
Miscellaneous . . .	831 67	Loans repaid . . .	4,707 06
		Special fund . . .	4,925 83
		Total current expenses . . .	\$99,382 41
		Cash on hand . . .	1,000 42
	<hr/> \$100,382 83		<hr/> \$100,382 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$205,700; value of investments, \$135,476.16.

NEWTON YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Church and Bellevue Sts., Newton. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Allan C. Emery, *President*; H. W. Bascom, *Secretary*; J. William Blaisdell, *Treasurer*.

To help young men to develop physically, socially, mentally, and spiritually.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number of members, 850.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$75 31	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,832 36
Foreign work . . .	1,455 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	468 83
Subscriptions and donations . . .	5,308 66	Heat, light, power, and water . . .	2,487 50
Athletics . . .	589 40	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	584 88
Dormitories . . .	4,422 54	Social work . . .	1,176 88
Bible study . . .	92 61	Foreign work . . .	1,423 12
Social work (games) . . .	1,343 28	Dormitories . . .	871 01
Memberships . . .	4,111 08	Religious work . . .	289 23
Boys' department . . .	1,288 39	General expense . . .	1,072 64
Miscellaneous . . .	999 65	Physical department . . .	732 19
		Boys' department . . .	443 51
		Miscellaneous . . .	180 09
		Total current expenses . . .	\$19,562 24
		Cash on hand . . .	123 83
	<hr/> \$19,686 07		<hr/> \$19,686 07

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$180,000.

**NONANTUM DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION, 281 Watertown St., Newton.
(Incorporated 1907.)**

Report for year ending January 24, 1913.

Miss Grace Weston, *President*; Mrs. G. H. Wilkins, *Secretary*; Mrs. W. H. Allen, *Treasurer*; Miss Grace Francis, *Head Worker*.

To maintain a day nursery for the care of the children of working mothers; to provide classes and clubs for girls and boys between the ages of six and sixteen; and classes and recreation clubs for women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 657, viz., 451 partly paying, 206 free; outside institution, 9, all free; number of families aided, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$484 12	Salaries and wages	\$981 90
From beneficiaries	61 92	Printing, postage, and office supplies	39 80
Subscriptions and donations	1,756 60	Provisions and supplies	427 51
Miscellaneous	12 42	Rent and water tax	311 02
		Heat, light, and power	143 75
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	54 60
		Telephone	12 30
		Laundry	18 10
		Supplies for clubs and classes	136 46
		Entertainments	28 71
		Boston conference	1 00
		Miscellaneous	28 33
		Total current expenses	\$2,183 48
		Cash on hand	131 58
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	\$2,315 06		\$2,315 06

PLAYGROUND AND SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE, Newton Centre. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

William C. Brewer, *President*; F. W. Denio, *Secretary*; A. Leslie Harwood, Jr., *Treasurer*.

To interest people of Newton Centre in local and civic affairs, and to encourage and supervise play on the public playground.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$83 02	Salaries and wages	\$249 17
Subscriptions and donations	526 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	94 00
		Playground supplies	160 70
		Miscellaneous	20 50
		Total current expenses	\$524 37
		Cash on hand	84 65
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	\$609 02		\$609 02

REBECCA POMROY NEWTON HOME FOR ORPHAN GIRLS, CORPORATION OF, 24 Hovey St., Newton. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Charles A. Haskell, *President*; Mrs. Arthur M. Crain, *Secretary*;
 Oliver M. Fisher, *Treasurer*; Miss Clara M. Hayes, *Superintendent*.

Care of orphan girls.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 14, viz., 3 partly paying, 11 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$884 38	Salaries and wages	\$940 00
From beneficiaries	56 00	Provisions and supplies	770 92
Subscriptions and donations	1,215 42	Heat, light, and power	258 33
Income from investments	1,657 79	Furnishings and incidental repairs	98 40
Total current receipts	\$3,813 59	Shoes and clothing	60 91
Loans to income	69 43	Miscellaneous	471 34
		Total current expenses	\$2,599 90
		Cash on hand	1,283 12
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	\$3,883 02		\$3,883 02

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
 \$10,600; value of investments, \$29,020.65.

STONE INSTITUTE AND NEWTON HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, 277 Elliott St., Newton Upper Falls. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles E. Riley, *President*; Henry Bailey, *Secretary*; Albert P. Carter, *Treasurer*; Anna E. Hale, *Matron*.

A home for Protestant American women in indigent circumstances, residents of Newton. Admission fee, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 17, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,524 41	Salaries and wages	\$2,032 64
Subscriptions and donations	754 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	51 73
Income from investments	6,661 86	Provisions and supplies	1,766 18
Interest	54 39	Heat, light, and power	720 98
Total current receipts	\$8,995 31	Furnishings and incidental repairs	290 94
Securities transferred to capital account	1,361 17	Health and funeral ex- penses	986 87
		Taxes	199 46
		Miscellaneous	553 11
		Total current expenses	\$6,601 91
		Cash on hand	3,754 57
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	\$10,356 48		\$10,356 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,750; value of investments, \$147,333.45.

WEST NEWTON DAY NURSERY, 89 Elm St., West Newton. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. C. H. Ames, *President*; Mrs. W. A. Young, *Secretary*; Mrs. J. A. Neal, *Treasurer*.

To take care of young children whose mothers must work, and of older girls in clubs, and neighborhood work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 5,819; number of families aided, 40.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$914 67	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,150 10
From beneficiaries . . .	242 05	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	63 49
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,663 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	930 24
Pop concert . . .	894 22	Heat, light, and power . . .	205 09
Sala . . .	610 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	199 30
Classes . . .	25 55	Telephone . . .	31 40
Interest . . .	24 54	Ice . . .	22 10
Miscellaneous . . .	130 83	Water . . .	32 28
		City tax . . .	8 32
		Miscellaneous . . .	3 50
		Pop concert . . .	394 78
		Class work . . .	7 65
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,048 25
		Cash on hand . . .	1,456 61
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	\$4,504 86		\$4,504 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$5,500.

WORKING BOYS' HOME, 601 Winchester St., Newton Highlands. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; W. H. Dowling, *Secretary*; Brother Sylvester, *Treasurer* and *Superintendent*.

To care for homeless and wayward boys of all denominations.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 305, viz., 40 paying, 134 partly paying, 131 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,236 64	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,192 00
Subscriptions and donations	8,133 58	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,675 10
Annuities and bequests to income	24,455 31	Provisions and supplies	5,255 14
		Heat, light, and power	1,318 21
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,289 17
		Miscellaneous	10,755 52
		Total current expenses	\$25,485 14
		Cash on hand	8,340 39
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	\$33,825 53		\$33,825 53

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$110,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$50,000.

NORFOLK.

KING'S DAUGHTERS AND SONS' HOME FOR THE AGED IN NORFOLK COUNTY, Pondville, Norfolk. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Miss Eleanor E. Fales, *President*; Miss Mary E. Clark, *Secretary*; Mrs. Abbie F. Fenno, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Ella T. Cousens, *Superintendent*.

To provide a home for men and women over sixty years of age, residents of Norfolk County for five years. Admission fee, \$300.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 17.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$748 49	Salaries and wages	\$1,477 39
From beneficiaries	600 00	Printing	75 43
Subscriptions and donations	2,846 88	Provisions and supplies	1,495 83
Income from investments	663 66	Furnishings and incidental repairs	80 56
Miscellaneous	105 19	Fuel	184 85
		Grain	214 17
		Medical attendance	58 00
		Insurance	149 64
		Miscellaneous	119 86
		Total current expenses	\$3,855 73
		Cash on hand	1,108 49
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	\$4,964 22		\$4,964 22

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$18,583.16.

NORTH ADAMS.

NORTH ADAMS HOSPITAL, Hospital Ave., North Adams. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Herbert W. Clark, *President*; Mrs. W. E. Whitaker, *Secretary*; Mrs. R. G. Palmer, *Treasurer*; Miss Grace B. Beattie, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

General hospital for acute diseases. Persons suffering from chronic or incurable diseases are admitted for special treatment and for a limited time.

Number of paid officers or employees, 40.

Number aided during year, 1,037, viz., 937 paying, 35 partly paying, 65 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$366 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,594 69
From beneficiaries . .	23,860 72	Printing, postage, and office supplies	312 95
Subscriptions and donations	5,685 66	Provisions and supplies . .	12,356 01
Annuities	570 00	Heat, light, and power . .	4,259 57
Income from investments .	2,286 46	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,878 05
Cash on note, North Adams National Bank . .	1,200 00	Laundry	900 00
Miscellaneous	577 99	Interest and insurance . .	2,180 58
		Paid note	1,200 00
		Miscellaneous	837 32
		Total current expenses . .	\$34,519 17
		Cash on hand	27 85
	<hr/> \$34,547 02		<hr/> \$34,547 02

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$90,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$31,600; value of investments, \$53,113.19.

NORTHAMPTON.

CHILDREN'S HOME ASSOCIATION, 13 Arlington St., Northampton. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending May 10, 1913.

Mrs. William F. Ganong, *President*; Mrs. Laura M. Scoville, *Secretary*; Miss Clara P. Bodman, *Treasurer*; Miss Jeanie B. Brown, *Superintendent*.

To receive and care for in the Home children under sixteen needing its shelter, and to place out in suitable homes and supervise such children as require its permanent care.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3 (4 part time).

Number aided during year in institution, 60, viz., 38 paying, 2 partly paying, 20 free; outside institution, 24, viz., 15 paying, 9 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand (Home)	\$25 42	Salaries and wages	\$1,012 70
Cash on hand (placed out)	88 77	Printing, postage, and office supplies	46 79
From beneficiaries (Home)	623 23	Provisions and supplies	618 21
From beneficiaries (placed out)	1,146 72	Heat, light, and power	150 89
From donations (Home)	1,735 45	Furnishings and incidental repairs	30 04
From donations (placed out)	20 67	Dickinson Hospital (operatives)	38 45
		Clothing and placing out	54 84
		Interest on mortgage and note	130 00
		Miscellaneous	229 42
		Board for placed-out children	1,139 49
		Placing-out expenses	50 17
		Total current expenses	\$3,501 00
		Cash on hand (Home)	72 76
		Cash on hand (placed out)	66 50
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	\$3,640 26		\$3,640 26

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,600.

THE COOLEY-DICKINSON HOSPITAL, North Elm St., Northampton.
(Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Christopher Seymour, *President*; Charles E. Childs, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Miss Mary Rose Raser, *Superintendent*.

To aid the sick poor of Northampton, Hatfield, and Whately.

Number of paid employees, 40.

Employs a collector on commission occasionally.

Number aided during year, 864, viz., 826 paying, 38 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$26,156 44	Salaries and wages	\$7,908 81
Subscriptions and donations	6,358 36	Printing, postage, and office supplies	304 26
Income from investments	2,258 39	Provisions and supplies	12,220 30
		Heat, light, and power	3,506 40
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,691 19
		Medical and surgical supplies	2,867 60
		Insurance	553 00
		Contagious hospital	3,901 56
		Ice	327 78
		Miscellaneous	596 42
		Total current expenses	\$33,877 32
		Cash on hand	895 87
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	\$34,773 19		\$34,773 19

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$110,532.93; value of investments, \$54,930.69.

**FATHER MATHEW TOTAL ABSTINENCE AND BENEVOLENT SOCIETY
OF FLORENCE, 47 Price St., Florence. (Incorporated 1884.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

John Joyce, *President*; Howard Coughlin, *Secretary*; Luke F. Ahearn, *Treasurer*.

Promotion of total abstinence; provides a clubhouse containing pool table, reading table, and shower baths for young men and boys of the village; gives aid to members and their families in case of sickness and misfortune.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$117 55	Salaries and wages . . .	\$93 75
From beneficiaries . . .	299 25	Printing, postage and office supplies . . .	19 31
Entertainments, rent, etc. . .	174 66	Heat, light, and power . . .	127 80
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	88 11
		Miscellaneous . . .	134 16
		Total current expenses . . .	\$463 13
		Cash on hand . . .	128 33
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	\$591 46		\$591 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$700.

LATHROP HOME FOR AGED AND INVALID WOMEN IN NORTHAMPTON, 236 South St., Northampton. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Mrs. Luther J. Warner, *President*; Miss Fannie W. Edwards, *Secretary*; Miss Rose Watson, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Josephine C. Ayres, *Matron*.

Home for aged Protestant American women in needy circumstances. Charge, \$13 per month.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 11.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$127 24	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,059 45
From beneficiaries . . .	1,395 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	3 39
Subscriptions and donations . . .	487 41	Provisions and supplies . . .	961 22
Bequests to income . . .	50 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	429 79
Income from investments . . .	1,587 28	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	88 41
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,542 26
		Income invested . . .	45 85
		Cash on hand . . .	1,059 32
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	\$3,647 43		\$3,647 43

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,000; value of investments, \$42,452.69.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF NORTHAMPTON, King St., Northampton. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Henry M. Tyler, Ph.D., *President*; W. J. Lamkie, *Secretary*; Robert H. Williston, *Treasurer*.

Physical, educational, social, and religious work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,000, viz., 500 partly paying, 500 free; outside institution, 75, viz., 50 partly paying, 25 free; number of families aided, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 87	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,812 29
From beneficiaries . . .	1,229 45	Printing, postage, and office supplies	216 05
Subscriptions and donations	3,081 47	Provisions and supplies . .	309 21
Income from investments . .	210 53	Heat, light, and power . .	950 49
Income from dormitories . .	1,979 75	Furnishings and incidental repairs	672 33
Income from departments . .	335 28	Reading room	116 10
Miscellaneous	157 67	Departments	511 22
		Miscellaneous	422 36
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,010 05
		Cash on hand	97
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	\$7,011 02		\$7,011 02

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$47,500; value of investments, \$4,800.

NORTHFIELD.

NORTHFIELD SEMINARY STUDENTS' AID SOCIETY, East Northfield. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending June 15, 1913.

Mrs. Frederick Billings, *President*; Mrs. A. G. Moody, *Secretary*; Mrs. Florence Gray Estey, *Treasurer*.

To assist students financially who are in attendance at Northfield Seminary.

Number aided during year, 46.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,872 31	Tuitions	\$2,864 00
Subscriptions and donations	2,000 00	Miscellaneous	21 82
Income from investments . .	349 40	Total current expenses . .	\$2,885 82
Money refunded	1,699 50	Cash on hand	3,035 39
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	\$5,921 21		\$5,921 21

OXFORD.

OXFORD HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Oxford. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Ada L. Joslin, *President*; Ira G. Ellis, *Secretary*; Alfred M. Chaffee, *Treasurer*.

To make a home for aged worthy people.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$4,884 28	Cash on hand . . .	\$5,102 90
Subscriptions and donations . . .	21 00		
Interest on deposits . . .	197 62		
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	\$5,102 90		\$5,102 90

Home not yet opened.

PEABODY.

CHARLES B. HAVEN HOME FOR AGED MEN IN PEABODY, 109 Lowell St., Peabody. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Charles S. Goldthwait, *President*; Samuel D. Lord, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Emma F. Goodwin, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant men, at least sixty years of age, residents of Peabody for ten years. Admission, \$100.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$352 13	Salaries and wages . . .	\$380 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	94 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	3 00
Income from investments . . .	1,432 02	Provisions and supplies . . .	469 37
National bank rebate . . .	12 57	Legal services . . .	25 00
Telephone tolls . . .	2 35	Heat, light, and power . . .	202 32
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	102 38
		Nursing and medicine . . .	204 15
		Water, sewer, and insurance . . .	67 88
		Telephone . . .	22 63
		Undertaker . . .	72 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	56 39
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,605 12
	<hr/>	Cash on hand . . .	287 95
	\$1,893 07		<hr/>
			\$1,893 07

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,100; value of investments, \$28,124.31.

FEMALE BENEVOLENT SOCIETY AT SOUTH DANVERS, Peabody.
(Incorporated 1856.)

Report for year ending May 7, 1913.

Mrs. Charles H. Brooks, *President*; Mrs. Harry F. Whidden, *Secretary*; Miss Sarah F. Daniels, *Treasurer*.

To assist the worthy poor of the town of Peabody.

Number aided during year, 20.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$11 95	Provisions and supplies	\$122 37
Subscriptions and donations	430 96	Miscellaneous	103 00
Income from investments	681 92		
		Total current expenses	\$850 00
		Cash on hand	44 46
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	\$1,124 83		\$1,124 83

Value of investments, \$15,674.80.

ISAAC MONROE HOME FOR ORPHAN AND NEEDY CHILDREN, Peabody.
(Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

G. Horace Merrill, *President*; Lyman P. Osborn, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

The maintenance of a home for orphan and needy children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	\$1,054 89	Salaries and wages	\$25 00
		Printing, postage, and office supplies	3 50
		Repairs	210 40
		Water and sewer rental	57 34
		Care of real estate	52 45
		Taxes	226 66
		Total current expenses	\$575 35
		Income invested	479 54
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	\$1,054 89		\$1,054 89

Value of investments, \$10,642.93.

SUTTON HOME FOR AGED WOMEN IN PEABODY, rear 143 Main St., Peabody. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Albert H. Merrill, *President*; William H. Hill, *Secretary*; Arthur F. Poole, *Treasurer*; Mrs. L. A. Poole, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant, American (white) women, at least sixty years of age, residents of Peabody for ten years. Admission, \$100.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 10, 1 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$184 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$628 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	25 00	Provisions and supplies . .	840 63
Income from investments . . .	1,866 65	Heat, light, and power . .	367 45
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	126 93
Total current receipts . . .	\$2,075 65	Nursing and hospital charges .	80 55
From capital to cover deficit . .	141 54	Telephone	20 97
		Insurance	26 25
		Burial	54 00
		Miscellaneous	72 41
	\$2,217 19		\$2,217 19

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$43,183.15.

PITTSFIELD.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, South St., Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1890.)

Report for year ending June 10, 1913.

Mrs. Zenas Crane, *President*; Mrs. Henry Francis, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Robert A. Barbour, *Treasurer*; Miss Ida F. Paine, *Matron*.

Home for women at least sixty years of age, residents of Berkshire County for five years. Admission, \$300 and conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number aided during year, 24.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,177 64	Salaries and wages	\$2,869 72
From beneficiaries	3,985 55	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations .	2,994 31	supplies	116 45
Income from investments . .	4,727 68	Provisions and supplies . .	2,288 24
National bank tax rebate . .	38 92	Transfers	5,040 23
Transfers	143 21	Heat, light, and power . .	1,099 09
Redemption of bond	1,000 00	Furnishings and incidental	
Interest on legacy in trust .	250 00	repairs	1,911 43
Cash from boarder	293 93	Funeral expenses	70 00
Miscellaneous	452 30	Paid to members	60 50
		Insurance	41 30
		Telephone	33 96
		Clothing	147 62
		Medicines, etc.	71 85
		Interest on legacy	250 00
		Miscellaneous	190 04
		Total current expenses . .	\$14,190 43
		Cash on hand	1,873 11
	\$16,063 54		\$16,063 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$40,000; value of investments, \$95,154.76; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$7,000.

BOYS' CLUB OF PITTSFIELD, Melville St., Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending May 11, 1913.

William C. Stevenson, *President*; Edward B. Hull, *Clerk*; Charles F. Reid, Jr., *Treasurer*; Prentiss A. Jordan, *Superintendent*.

To promote good habits, good morals, and good citizenship among the boys of Pittsfield and Dalton between ages of eleven and fourteen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 21.

Number aided during year, 1,539, viz., 100 partly paying, 1,439 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$51 50	Salaries and wages . .	\$6,475 88
Subscriptions and donations	3,636 50	Printing, postage, and office supplies	174 60
Income from investments	6,338 40	Provisions and supplies . .	886 32
From beneficiaries	214 70	Rent, taxes, interest . .	543 38
Music school	1,824 71	Heat, light, and power . .	974 26
Bills receivable, note on bank	1,000 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	399 38
Miscellaneous	320 00	Music school	1,906 80
		Farm and camp	1,168 02
		Miscellaneous	713 51
		Total current expenses . .	\$13,242 15
		Cash on hand at end of year	143 66
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	\$13,385 81		\$13,385 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$70,000; value of investments, \$100,896.

EPWORTH MISSION OF PITTSFIELD, corner Linden St. and Robbins Ave., Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Charles McKernan, *President*; George E. Halford, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; J. Arthur Burbank, *Superintendent*.

Religious, industrial, and social settlement work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$22 00	Salaries and wages . .	\$750 00
From beneficiaries	1,050 00	Supplies	120 00
		Heat, light, and power . .	110 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	92 00
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	\$1,072 00		\$1,072 00

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$10,000.

**HILLCREST SURGICAL HOSPITAL OF PITTSFIELD, 798 North St.,
Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1908.)**

Report for year ending July 7, 1913.

Walter F. Hawkins, *President*; William L. Tracy, M.D., *Secretary*; Charles H. Richardson, M.D., *Treasurer*; Miss Jane F. Smith, *Matron*.

Medical and surgical cases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 33.

Number aided during year in institution, 778, viz., 533 paying, 182 partly paying, 63 free; outside institution, 804, viz., 602 paying, 50 partly paying, 152 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$870 64	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,518 43
From beneficiaries . . .	25,658 32	Printing, postage, and office supplies	589 90
Subscriptions and donations	2,252 38	Provisions and supplies . .	9,168 11
Miscellaneous (special nurses)	1,158 51	Rent	2,910 00
		Heat, light, and power . .	2,184 81
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,510 73
		Insurance, taxes	325 65
		Laundry	2,684 53
		Training school	1,276 73
		Miscellaneous	376 60
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		Total current expenses . .	\$26,545 49
		Cash on hand	3,394 86
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	\$29,939 85		

HOUSE OF MERCY, 742 North St., Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. Charles L. Hibbard, *President*; Mrs. John Barker, *Clerk*; Mrs. Frank C. Backus, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary M. Marcy, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Care of sick and disabled, not including cases of incurable or contagious diseases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 104 (including 62 nurses).

Number aided during year in institution, 2,173, viz., 848 paying, 689 partly paying, 636 free; outside institution, 1,037.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$12,545 21	Salaries and wages . .	\$24,308 03
From beneficiaries . .	40,681 23	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	732 71
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,020 94	Provisions and ice . .	21,825 83
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	7,358 05	Ambulance . . .	718 33
Income from investments . .	17,645 07	Heat, light, and water . .	7,476 60
Paid-up investments . .	12,591 70	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	4,411 05
		Repairs and reconstruction . . .	20,867 42
		Training school supplies . .	529 35
		Medical and surgical supplies . . .	5,902 55
		Insurance, express, cartage, telephone, and telegraph . . .	1,604 88
		Miscellaneous . . .	12 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$88,389 27
		Invested . . .	4,482 03
		Cash on hand . . .	7,970 92
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	\$100,842 20		\$100,842 20

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$250,000; value of investments, \$319,776.97.

**PITTSFIELD ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION, Lebanon Ave.,
Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1912.)**

Report for year ending May 23, 1913.

Dr. J. F. A. Adams, *President*; Miss Julia W. Redfield, *Secretary*; Henry Catt, *Treasurer*; Mrs. A. M. Kelly, *Superintendent*.

Relief, prevention, and cure of tuberculosis.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 31, viz., 21 partly paying, 10 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,001 72	Salaries and wages . .	\$2,147 45
From beneficiaries . .	1,289 68	Provisions and supplies . .	1,582 98
Subscriptions and donations . .	20,932 41	Heat, light, and power . .	126 25
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	131 79
		Laundry . . .	235 49
		Water . . .	212 66
		Building fund . . .	11,113 49
		Outside aid . . .	135 59
		Miscellaneous . . .	990 23
		Total current expenses . .	\$16,725 93
		Cash on hand . . .	7,497 88
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	\$24,223 81		\$24,223 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$17,000.

PITTSFIELD DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION, 119 Fenn St., Pittsfield.
(Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Mrs. Clarence Stephens, *President*; Mrs. Herbert S. Wollison, *Secretary*; Mrs. John McQuaid, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Anna Beach, *Matron*.

To conduct a day nursery and do other benevolent work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Aggregate attendance, 2,696. Number of families aided, 30.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$701 29	Salaries and wages	\$703 85
Subscriptions and donations	371 34	Printing, postage, and office supplies	26 17
Income from investments	75 00	Provisions and supplies	249 71
Entertainments	819 08	Heat, light, and power	14 51
Rummage sale	140 45	Furnishings and incidental repairs	273 23
Circular letter	432 06	Insurance and water rates	20 00
House receipts	110 85	Telephone	18 00
Miscellaneous	35 05	Union Co-operative Bank	45 00
		Miscellaneous	203 25
		Total current expenses	\$1,553 72
		Deposited in City Savings Bank	500 00
		Cash on hand	631 40
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	\$2,685 12		\$2,685 12

Value of investments, \$1,500.

THE PITTSFIELD YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 292 North St., Pittsfield. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending April 15, 1913.

William J. Raybold, *President*; Herbert W. Griffen, *Secretary*; George Shipton, *Treasurer*.

The spiritual, mental, moral, social, and physical improvement of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 43.

Number of members, 1,999.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$337 60	Salaries and wages	\$21,681 53
Subscriptions and donations	5,004 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies	625 23
Income from investments	2,536 18	Heat, light, and power	4,246 37
From dormitories	10,260 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,284 63
From memberships	5,928 99	Lake work, bowling, lunch counter, etc. . . .	13,894 42
From lake work, bowling, lunch counter, etc. . . .	18,011 09	Total current expenses	\$41,732 18
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	\$42,079 11		<hr/>
			\$42,079 11

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$206,589.65; amount of mortgage on same, \$8,000; value of investments, \$47,616.

UNION FOR HOME WORK IN PITTSFIELD, 22 North St., Pittsfield.
(Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

John M. Stevenson, *President*; William L. Adam, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Support of benevolent work in Pittsfield.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$253 34	Heat, light, and power . . .	\$27 70
Income from investments . . .	320 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	63 89
		Paid bills of board of managers of voluntary association . . .	390 52
		Insurance . . .	11 25
		Total current expenses . . .	\$493 36
		Cash on hand . . .	79 98
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	\$573 34		\$573 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$13,378.

PLYMOUTH.

JORDAN HOSPITAL, Sandwich St., Plymouth. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending February 1, 1913.

Charles S. Davis, *President*; John W. Herrick, *Secretary*; Wm. W. Brewster, *Treasurer*; Elizabeth R. Allen, *Matron*.

Care of sick and wounded; training of nurses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

Number aided during year in institution, 377, viz., 360 paying, 17 free; outside institution, 730, viz., 440 paying, 290 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$38 66	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,009 23
From beneficiaries . . .	7,522 53	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	122 60
Subscriptions and donations . . .	543 66	Provisions and supplies . . .	5,576 33
Income from investments . . .	10,962 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,426 50
State rebate . . .	104 77	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	15 24
Miscellaneous . . .	112 21	Bills payable . . .	2,500 00
		Interest . . .	228 27
		Insurance . . .	374 16
		Medical and surgical supplies . . .	1,871 94
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,025 33
		Total current expenses . . .	\$18,149 60
		Cash on hand . . .	1,134 23
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	\$19,283 83		\$19,283 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$31,368.92; value of investments, \$164,840.

PLYMOUTH FRAGMENT SOCIETY, Plymouth. (Incorporated 1876.)

Report for year ending October 15, 1913.

Esther Bartlett, *President*; Augusta Morton, *Secretary*; Helen E. Millar, *Treasurer*.

To help the deserving poor of the town of Plymouth.

Number aided during year, 16; number of families aided, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$42 38	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$1 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	58 50	Provisions and supplies	37 86
Income from investments	866 02	Rent of box in bank	6 00
		Pensions	643 00
		Shoes and rubbers	105 50
		Fuel	57 40
		Miscellaneous	29 48
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		Total current expenses	\$880 24
		Cash on hand	86 66
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	\$966 90		\$966 90

Value of investments, \$17,000.

RIDER HOME FOR OLD PEOPLE, CORPORATION OF THE, 55 High St., Plymouth. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

Charles A. Strong, *President*; Mrs. P. R. Clifford, *Secretary*; Miss J. S. Hubbard, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Ellen D. Howard, *Matron*.

Home for aged and indigent men and women at least sixty years of age, residents of Plymouth for ten years. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 8.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,061 43	Salaries and wages	\$530 00
From beneficiaries	650 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	17 32
Subscriptions and donations . .	416 78	Provisions and supplies	623 62
Income from investments	311 20	Heat, light, and power	180 84
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	68 19
		Funeral expenses	70 00
		Telephone	18 25
		Nurse	16 00
		Miscellaneous	8 35
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		Total current expenses	\$1,532 57
		Cash on hand	7,906 84
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	\$9,439 41		\$9,439 41

Value of investments, \$7,906.84.

SUNNYSIDE, INCORPORATED, Halfway Pond, Plymouth. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

George G. Barker, *President*; L. B. R. Barker, *Treasurer* and *Clerk*; M. Ada Page, *Matron*.

To give poor children an outing and industrial training during the months of July and August. At present only girls are taken. Ages preferred, eight to thirteen years. No restriction as to color, nationality, creed, or residence.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 22.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Donation	\$985 22	Salaries and wages	\$305 42
		Provisions and supplies	543 00
		Heat, light, and power	20 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	66 80
		Auto and carriage transportation	50 00
	<hr/> \$985 22		<hr/> \$985 22

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$3,500.

PRINCETON.**GIRLS' VACATION HOUSE ASSOCIATION, Princeton. (Incorporated 1910.)**

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Miss M. J. Allen, *President*; Miss Harriet E. Johnson, *Secretary*; Dr. Alice H. Bassett, *Treasurer*.

To provide vacations for working girls over seventeen at prices within their means.

Number of paid employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 175, viz., 135 paying, 7 partly paying, 33 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$860 86	Salaries and wages	\$791 84
From beneficiaries	1,101 60	Printing, postage, and office supplies	42 52
Subscriptions and donations	1,192 00	Provisions and supplies	1,171 73
Income from investments	846 99	Heat, light, and power	44 21
Fair	1,669 46	Furnishings and incidental repairs	567 26
		Total current expenses	\$2,617 56
		Income invested	2,801 25
		Cash on hand	252 10
	<hr/> \$5,670 91		<hr/> \$5,670 91

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,000; value of investments, \$15,610.87.

QUINCY.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF QUINCY, 148 Goffe St., Quincy. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Thomas Fenno, *President*; Mrs. Wilson Marsh, *Secretary*; Rupert F. Claflin, *Treasurer*; Jenny M. Purchase, *General Secretary*.

Advice, assistance, and co-operation along charitable, philanthropic, and social lines in and for the city of Quincy.

Number of paid employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 387; number of families aided, 85.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$814 92	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,300 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,302 42	Provisions and supplies . . .	10 62
		Heat, light, and power . . .	15 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	10 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	248 42
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,584 04
		Cash on hand . . .	533 30
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	\$2,117 34		\$2,117 34

THE BRACKETT CHARITABLE TRUST, INC., Quincy. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending September, 1913.

Jeffrey R. Brackett, *President*; Mrs. John W. Sanborn, *Secretary*; George B. Dewson, *Treasurer*.

Establishing or maintaining a building or place to be used by the literary, educational, benevolent, religious, or charitable societies of Quincy in this Commonwealth or its vicinity. (The house and land belonging to the trust, valued at \$12,250, have been placed in charge, without rental, of the Quincy Women's Club, and are used by the club and several charitable organizations for meetings for social, educational, and charitable purposes, for the residence and office of visiting nurses, for office of the Associated Charities, for industrial classes, etc.)

CITY HOSPITAL OF QUINCY, Whitwell St., Quincy. (Incorporated 1889.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Fred B. Rice, *President*; Timothy Reed, *Secretary*; Nathan G. Nickerson, *Treasurer*; Miss Alma E. Grant, *Superintendent*.

Care and treatment of the sick and injured.

Number of paid officers or employees, 29.

Number aided during year, 477, viz., 263 paying, 35 partly paying, 179 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$26 90	Salaries and wages	\$8,746 03
From beneficiaries	9,686 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies	378 06
Subscriptions and donations	10,045 29	Provisions and supplies	10,292 71
Income from investments	4,498 28	Rent	315 73
		Heat, light, and power	2,806 36
Total current receipts	\$24,256 67	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,736 54
Loans to income	1,500 00	Insurance	109 15
		Telephone	229 97
		Taxes	44 85
		Miscellaneous	50 69
		Total current expenses	\$25,710 09
		Cash on hand	46 58
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	\$25,756 67		\$25,756 67

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$75,000; value of investments, \$95,251.18.

NATIONAL SAILORS' HOME, Fenno St., Quincy. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

James L. Little, *President*; Walter S. Crane, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; H. A. Whitelaw, *Superintendent*; Mrs. Whitelaw, *Matron*.

Home for sailors, mariners, or others of the United States naval service disabled by wounds, old age, or otherwise.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 28, viz., 5 partly paying, 23 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,398 44	Salaries and wages	\$3,233 09
From beneficiaries	364 34	Printing, postage, and office supplies	19 37
Income from investments	11,440 64	Provisions and supplies	2,943 00
Miscellaneous (farm)	2,472 49	Heat, light, and power	735 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	920 24
		Miscellaneous	2,603 16
		Total current expenses	\$10,453 86
		Cash on hand	9,222 05
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	\$19,675 91		\$19,675 91

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$54,810.53; value of investments, \$211,249.89.

QUINCY CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Hancock St., Quincy. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Arthur W. Newcomb, *President*; Mrs. Thomas A. Addison, *Secretary*; Mrs. Addie L. T. Abele, *Treasurer*.

To help the worthy poor, regardless of color, sex, or nationality.

Number of families aided, 36.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$10,262 11	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$8 70
Subscriptions and donations . . .	36 25	Provisions and supplies . . .	708 42
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	90 00	Rent of box in bank . . .	10 00
Income from investments . . .	394 10	Associated Charities . . .	50 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$777 12
		Cash on hand . . .	10,005 34
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	\$10,782 46		\$10,782 46

SAILORS' SNUG HARBOR, Germantown, Quincy. (Incorporated 1852.)

Report for year ending May 17, 1913.

Francis W. Sargent, *President*; L. S. Tuckerman, *Secretary*; Arthur Adams, *Treasurer*; D. W. Hoffses, *Superintendent*.

Home for old sailors who have sailed five years under the American flag and who are without means of support.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 23.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$279 33	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,948 39
Income from investments . . .	13,114 31	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,241 85
		Medical . . .	184 30
		Heat, light, and power . . .	1,008 83
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	4,947 03
		New live stock . . .	375 50
		Taxes and repairs on real estate held for investment . . .	197 48
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,348 86
		Total current expenses . . .	\$12,252 24
		Income transferred to principal . . .	1,000 00
		Cash on hand . . .	141 40
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	\$13,893 64		\$13,893 64

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$40,000; value of investments, \$279,036.

RANDOLPH.

BOSTON SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, Randolph. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

William Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Charles J. Sullivan, *Secretary*; Michael J. Splaine, *Treasurer*.

The teaching of deaf mutes, regardless of sex, color, nationality, creed, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 37.

Number aided during year, 147.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,655 05	Salaries and wages . .	\$11,476 04
State appropriation . .	39,264 59	Provisions and supplies . .	8,232 72
Interest . . .	190 37	Heat, light, and power . .	2,536 19
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,683 02
		Insurance . . .	170 35
		Interest on mortgage . .	2,525 00
		Freight and express . .	89 29
		Total current expenses . .	\$26,712 61
		Reduction of mortgage . .	9,000 00
		Cash on hand . . .	6,397 40
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	\$42,110 01		\$42,110 01

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$110,122.37; amount of mortgage on same, \$46,000.

READING.

READING HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, Linden St., Reading. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. Emily M. Palmer, *President*; Mrs. Clara Carter, *Secretary*; Mrs. Mabel F. Springford, *Treasurer*; Mrs. A. F. Sawyer, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant women, residents of Reading for ten years, sixty-five years of age or over. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$4,378 61	Salaries and wages . . .	\$598 50
Subscriptions and donations	890 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	97
Income from investments	815 22	Provisions and supplies	464 70
Admissions	400 00	Heat, light, and power	218 92
Sales	192 64	Furnishings and incidental repairs	67 29
		Insurance	25 86
		Drugs and medicines	4 05
		Miscellaneous	21 35
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,401 64
		Cash on hand	5,275 76
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	\$6,677 40		\$6,677 40

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$11,405.05.

REVERE.

CORPS 35, VOLUNTEER LIFE SAVING SERVICE, corner Boulevard and Shirley Ave., Revere. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Thomas R. Willis, *President*; Walter E. A. Kester, *Secretary*; Austin J. McLean, *Treasurer*.

To save life and assist those in need; to encourage and promote swimming.

Number aided during year, 165.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$108 50	Provisions and supplies . . .	\$111 70
From beneficiaries	183 25	Cash on hand	180 05
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	\$291 75		\$291 75

HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE IN REVERE, Proctor Ave., Revere. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending October 28, 1913.

Julius B. Hauck, *President*; Patrick J. Murray, *Secretary*; John B. Seward, *Treasurer*.

The establishment of a home for aged people.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,473 61	Cash book	\$2 00
Income from investments	130 30	Cash on hand	3,701 91
Rental of land	100 00		
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	\$3,703 91		\$3,703 91

Value of real estate owned, \$4,000.

Home not yet opened.

INGLESIDE CORPORATION, 148 Prospect Ave., Revere. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

J. Eveleth Griffith, *President*; Miss Fannie F. Tower, *Secretary*; Charles H. Jones, *Treasurer*; Miss Margaret B. Forbes, *Superintendent*.

For the purpose of preventive work among young women, excluding those known to belong to the class technically called fallen women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year in institution, 27, viz., 2 paying, 12 partly paying, 13 free; outside institution, 5; number of families aided, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries	\$873 00	Salaries and wages	\$2,290 98
Subscriptions and donations	4,539 82	Printing, postage, and office supplies	310 75
Miscellaneous	71 33	Provisions and supplies	1,050 92
		Rent	120 00
		Heat, light, and power	270 01
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	950 06
		Traveling expenses	79 96
		Miscellaneous	297 93
		Total current expenses	\$5,370 61
		Deficit at beginning of year	113 54
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	\$5,484 15		\$5,484 15

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500.

REVERE DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION, Revere. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Ida J. Newton, *President*; Eliza H. Macadam, *Secretary*; Anna F. Clisbee, *Treasurer*.

Care of the sick in their homes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 149, viz., 143 paying, 3 partly paying, 3 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$154 28	Wages	\$996 00
From beneficiaries	563 30	Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 25
Subscriptions and donations	469 23	Supplies	86 71
		Total current expenses	\$1,095 96
		Cash on hand	90 85
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	\$1,186 81		\$1,186 81

ROCKPORT.

MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN WORKERS CORPORATION, 60 South St., Rockport. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Miss Edith M. Howes, *President*; Miss Eleanor W. Allen, *Secretary*; Mrs. Guy Cunningham, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Blanche M. Richardson, *Superintendent*.

A vacation home for working women open from June to October; no conditions except age and need, good mental condition, and no contagious disease.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$25 45	Salaries and wages . .	\$306 80
From beneficiaries . .	1,450 66	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	23 15
Subscriptions and donations . .	117 91	Provisions and supplies . .	710 87
Income from investments . .	1 75	Heat, light, and power . .	29 80
Miscellaneous . . .	29 04	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	106 29
		Tickets . . .	215 70
		Water tax . . .	15 00
		Insurance . . .	10 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	122 02
		Total current expenses . .	\$1,539 63
		Cash on hand . . .	85 18
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	\$1,624 81		\$1,624 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000.

SALEM.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF SALEM, MASS., 252 Essex St., Salem. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Walter K. Bigelow, *Prèsident*; Ethel B. Osborne, *Secretary*; Leland H. Cole, *Treasurer*.

To study the needs of poor families, to secure co-operation of charitable societies, and to fight the cause of poverty in the community.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number of families aided, 461.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$305 70	Salaries and wages	\$2,190 50
From beneficiaries . . .	190 01	Printing, postage, and office supplies	432 64
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,344 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	469 29
Annuities and bequests to income	5,100 00	Rent	341 75
Income from investments . . .	554 29	Heat, light, and power . . .	8 09
Received for fresh-air work . . .	450 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	69 65
Received for special work . . .	1,300 07	Telephone	70 93
From Salem Paper Stock Company	185 61	Fresh-air work	583 16
Reinvested	2,132 50	Special case work	1,261 23
		Miscellaneous	15 32
Total current receipts . . .	\$12,562 18	Total current expenses . . .	\$5,442 56
Loans to income	24 02	Invested	7,143 64
	\$12,586 20		\$12,586 20

Value of investments, \$18,004.07.

**ASSOCIATION FOR THE RELIEF OF AGED AND DESTITUTE WOMEN
IN SALEM, 180 Derby St., Salem. (Incorporated 1860.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

George M. Harris, *President*; Mrs. Henry M. Batchelder, *Secretary*; Nathaniel A. Very, *Treasurer*; Miss Emma C. West, *Matron*.

A home for worthy poor women born in the United States, at least sixty years of age, who have resided in Salem not less than ten years preceding their application. Admission fee, \$65.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

Number aided during year in institution, 35; outside institution, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,292 86	Salaries and wages	\$4,906 79
From beneficiaries (admission fees)	65 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	139 35
Income from investments . . .	18,071 04	Provisions and supplies . . .	4,872 87
Legacies not restricted . . .	7,510 38	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,635 18
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,094 54
		Accrued interest on bonds purchased	105 02
		Donations, outside aid . . .	320 00
		Real estate expense not on home	1,466 46
		Insurance on home	325 37
		Miscellaneous	141 21
		Total current expenses . . .	\$15,006 79
		Transferred to capital account	7,465 92
		Cash on hand	4,466 37
	\$26,939 28		\$26,939 28

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$59,578.25; value of investments, \$399,395.38.

BERTRAM HOME FOR AGED MEN, 114 Derby St., Salem. (Incorporated 1877.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

George H. Shattuck, *President*; William O. Chapman, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mary B. Bassett, *Matron*.

Home for men at least sixty years of age, residents of Salem for ten years. No admission fee.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 20.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	. \$9,303 82	Salaries and wages	. \$2,235 37
Interest on bank balance	. 52 63	Printing, postage, and office supplies	. 35 18
		Provisions and supplies	. 2,915 33
		Heat, light, and power	. 583 95
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	. 324 36
		Miscellaneous	. 469 04
		Total current expenses	. \$6,563 23
		Transferred to principal account	. 2,793 22
	<hr/> \$9,356 45		<hr/> \$9,356 45

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$165,558.82.

THE CHILDREN'S ISLAND SANITARIUM, Lowell Island, Salem. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Philip L. Saltonstall, *President*; Joel E. Goldthwait, M.D., *Secretary*; Augustus Hemenway, Jr., *Treasurer*; Lucy W. Davis, *Superintendent*.

The care through the summer of poor children suffering from debility or chronic disease of any sort (not contagious), and the visiting of these same children in their homes through the winter.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year in institution, 186, all free; outside institution, 15, all free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$263 03	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,398 65
Subscriptions and donations . . .	5,972 22	Printing, postage, and office supplies	344 22
Income from investments	4,264 38	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,859 07
Proceeds of fair	8,549 93	Rent	52 50
Sale of industrial work	73 95	Heat, light, and power . . .	365 79
Sale rights	578 24	Furnishings and incidental repairs	807 60
Miscellaneous	5 35	Improvements	4,768 15
		Insurance	508 20
		Transportation, express, and boat	410 40
		Winter board for children . .	665 00
		Laundry	151 49
		Miscellaneous	27 08
		Total current expenses . .	\$17,368 15
		Cash on hand	2,338 95
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	\$19,707 10		\$19,707 10

Value of investments, \$80,637.95.

CITY ORPHAN ASYLUM, 215 Lafayette St., Salem. (Incorporated 1871.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

William Cardinal O'Connell, *President*; Sister Mary Teresa, *Secretary*; Sister M. A. Costello, *Treasurer*.

Asylum for orphans, abandoned children, and old ladies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 23.

Number aided during year, 312, viz., 126 paying, 137 partly paying, 49 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$102 05	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,712 85
From beneficiaries	19,887 95	Printing, postage, and office supplies	752 25
Subscriptions and donations . . .	500 76	Provisions and supplies . . .	8,994 20
Annuities and bequests to income	3,775 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,094 86
Income from investments	658 19	Furnishings and incidental repairs	3,956 70
		Sisters' indemnity	900 00
		Interest on mortgage . . .	3,804 02
		Miscellaneous	389 56
		Total current expenses . .	\$24,604 44
		Cash on hand	319 51
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	\$24,923 95		\$24,923 95

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$73,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$58,614.15; value of investments, \$24,485.99.

THE HOUSE OF THE SEVEN GABLES SETTLEMENT ASSOCIATION, 54 Turner St., Salem. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending March 22, 1913.

Rufus D. Adams, *President*; Lyman Hurd, *Secretary*; Frank A. Brooks, *Treasurer*; Eleanor B. Hoyt, *Head Worker*.

Maintaining a residence for social workers and a center of social and educational activity in the neighborhood.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 398, all partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$561 26	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,577 66
Paid admissions to house . .	2,327 35	Printing, postage, and office supplies	87 21
Residents' board	2,677 00	Provisions and supplies . .	1,824 24
Members' dues	248 00	Cleaning and laundry . .	206 60
Subscriptions and donations .	1,679 35	Heat, light, and power . .	559 87
Income from investments . .	1,408 94	Furnishings and incidental repairs	747 43
Profit of shop and teahouse .	634 22	Telephone	63 42
Clubs and classes	182 15	Socials, entertainments, and camp	215 84
Miscellaneous	33 44	Clubs and classes	163 17
		Miscellaneous	275 75
		Total current expenses . .	\$9,721 19
		Cash on hand	30 52
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	\$9,751 71		\$9,751 71

Value of investments, \$30,000.

MACK INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL, 17 Pickman St., Salem. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending October 18, 1913.

Mrs. Walter L. Abbott, *President*; Miss Sarah S. Kimball, *Secretary*; William Agge, *Treasurer*.

To train women and girls for more efficiency in the home; to train girls between the ages of fourteen and eighteen *to earn* their own living.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 476.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$827 84	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,200 00
From beneficiaries	462 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	69 27
Subscriptions and donations .	800 00	Provisions and supplies . .	130 00
Annuities and bequests to income	1,377 37	Heat, light, and power . .	252 28
Income from investments . .	2,705 73	Furnishings and incidental repairs	115 00
		Miscellaneous	202 96
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,969 51
		Income invested	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	1,203 43
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	\$6,172 94		\$6,172 94

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$53,512.

**MARINE SOCIETY AT SALEM IN NEW ENGLAND, 18 Washington Sq.,
Salem. (Incorporated 1772.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Capt. C. O. Welch, *Master*; Capt. J. C. Entwistle, *Clerk*; Capt. Edward B. Trumbull, *Treasurer*.

To relieve members and their families in poverty or other adverse accidents of life to which they are more particularly liable.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,460 42	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,620 00
Income from investments . .	6,798 02	Paid beneficiaries . . .	3,425 00
		Miscellaneous	2,504 29
		Total current expenses . .	\$7,549 29
		Cash on hand	709 15
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	\$8,258 44		\$8,258 44

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$27,000; value of investments, \$97,342.45.

NORTH SHORE BABIES' HOSPITAL, Dearborn St., Salem. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Hon. David M. Little, *President*; Arthur F. Poole, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Miss Marion Holmes, *Superintendent*.

Free hospital for sick babies.

Number of paid officers, 15 to 20.

Number aided during year, 53.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,418 73	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,537 61
Subscriptions and donations .	3,622 76	Printing, postage, and advertising	113 78
Net receipts of tag day . . .	3,016 62	Provisions and supplies . .	811 45
Board of babies	235 15	Medicines	111 44
Produce sold	155 59	Heat, light, and power . .	306 62
Interest	3 62	Furnishings and incidental repairs	323 02
		Water tax	10 00
		Insurance	112 54
		Interest on mortgage . . .	86 40
		Balance paid on mortgage . .	2,450 00
		Miscellaneous	257 75
		Total current expenses . .	\$8,120 61
		Cash on hand	331 86
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	\$8,452 47		\$8,452 47

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000.

THE PLUMMER FARM SCHOOL OF REFORM FOR BOYS, Winter Island, Salem. (Incorporated 1855.)

Report for year ending December 21, 1912.

Matthew Robson, *President*; John B. Tivnan, *Secretary*; George H. Allen, *Treasurer*; Frank N. Wetmore, *Superintendent*.

Reformation of juvenile offenders.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year, 46, viz., 12 partly paying, 32 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,967 22	Salaries and wages	\$3,484 64
Income from investments	6,651 35	Printing, postage, office supplies, provisions and supplies, rent, heat, light, power, furnishings, and incidental repairs	5,648 30
Board account	1,954 16	Shop account	395 16
Shop account	913 35	Farm account	1,486 06
Farm account	1,338 97		
Total current receipts	\$10,857 83	Total current expenses	\$11,014 16
Depreciation	310 00	Cash on hand	2,120 89
	\$13,135 05		\$13,135 05

Value of investments, \$139,441.71.

SALEM CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION, 246½ Essex St., Salem. (Incorporated 1882 and 1884.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

Frederick E. Warner, *President*; G. Arthur Bodwell, *Secretary*; Thomas G. Pinnock, *Treasurer*.

Literary and social culture by means of reading and social meetings; to provide aid for its members in case of sickness, disability, or death.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$135 62	Salaries and wages	\$125 00
Subscriptions	48 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	7 65
Income from investments	36 00	Rent	350 00
Total current receipts	\$219 62	Heat, light, and power	7 64
Loans to income	508 92	Books and magazines	18 50
		Insurance	43 20
		Death benefits	100 00
		Total current expenses	\$651 99
		Cash on hand	76 55
	\$728 54		\$728 54

Value of investments, \$1,068; value of investments held by savings bank for benefit of society, \$5,088.19.

SALEM FEMALE CHARITABLE SOCIETY, Salem. (Incorporated 1804.)

Report for year ending May 7, 1913.

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Robinson, *President*; Mrs. Catharine F. Wardwell, *Secretary*; Miss Mary W. Nichols, *Treasurer*.

For the relief of worthy indigent women, preferably of American birth.

Employs a collector on commission.

Number aided during year, 80.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$18 20	Collector	\$5 00
Subscriptions . . .	143 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	3 00
Bequests to income . . .	3,100 00	Distributed	1,105 00
Income from investments . . .	1,006 68	Miscellaneous	4 00
Liquidation of bank . . .	91 00		
For investment	40 00	Total current expenses . . .	\$1,117 00
Miscellaneous	17 33	Invested	3,231 00
		Cash on hand	68 21
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	\$4,416 21		\$4,416 21

Value of investments, \$24,970.

SALEM FRATERNITY, 11 Central St., Salem. (Incorporated 1875.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Edward H. Osgood, *President*; George W. Mansfield, *Secretary*; Stephen W. Phillips, *Treasurer*; Herbert C. Farwell, *Superintendent*.

Providing entertainments and innocent amusements, instruction and education for young persons in the city of Salem.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

Number attending institution, over 4,000.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$64 29	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,516 53
Subscriptions and donations . . .	409 63	Printing, postage, and office supplies	51 36
Annuities and bequests to income	741 20	Heat, light, power, furnishings, and incidental repairs	488 73
Income from investments . . .	3,982 52	Camp expenses	295 24
		Library	22 35
		Insurance	90 99
		Premiums on investments . . .	53 34
		Taxes on invested property . . .	118 53
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,637 07
		Income invested	505 72
		Contingent fund	1,000 00
		Cash on hand	54 85
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	\$5,197 64		\$5,197 64

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,956; value of investments, \$87,095.99; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$22,389.88.

SALEM HOSPITAL, 31 Charter St., Salem. (Incorporated 1873.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Arthur W. West, *President*; John Pickering, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*; Wilbur B. Bigelow, *Superintendent*.

The treatment of sick and disabled persons.

Number of paid officers or employees, 67.

Number aided during year, 2,658, viz., 339 paying, 723 partly paying, 1,596 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$6,135 28	Salaries and wages . . .	\$17,070 28
From beneficiaries . . .	24,361 25	Printing, postage, and office supplies	716 48
Subscriptions and donations	210 00	Provisions and supplies	20,761 96
Annuities and bequests to income	6,000 00	Heat, light, and power	4,829 70
Income from investments	32,243 77	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,900 98
Miscellaneous	303 21	Expense on real estate purchased for investment	2,736 60
		Additions to plant	318 24
		Taxes and insurance	1,194 20
		Total current expenses	\$52,528 44
		Income invested	13,564 53
		Cash on hand	3,160 54
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	\$69,253 51		\$69,253 51

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$218,556.97; value of investments, \$498,242.28.

**SALEM SEAMEN'S ORPHAN AND CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY,
7 Carpenter St., Salem. (Incorporated 1841.)**

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Matthew Robson, *President*; Miss Ellen A. Brown, *Secretary*; Orlando S. Leighton, *Treasurer*; Miss Julia E. Pratt, *Matron*.

To provide a home for the care and education of neglected and destitute children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 9.

Number aided during year, 40, viz., 18 paying, 4 partly paying, 18 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments . . .	\$7,910 62	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,065 50
Board paid	1,033 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	19 25
Bank tax rebate	165 72	Provisions and supplies	3,204 01
		Heat, light, and power	669 72
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	239 44
		Repairs on "Homa" building	518 16
		Clothing, shoes, etc.	647 36
		Telephone	40 47
		Insurance premiums	87 35
		Miscellaneous	76 80
		Total current expenses	\$8,568 06
		Income invested	541 28
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	\$9,109 34		\$9,109 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,000; value of investments, \$149,564.59.

**SALEM YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 288 Essex St., Salem.
(Incorporated 1884.)**

Report for year ending April 15, 1913.

Matthew Robson, *President*; Charles G. F. Coker, *Secretary*;
Samuel J. Foster, *Treasurer*; C. Lantz, *General Secretary*.

Social, moral, physical and spiritual advantages to young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year in institution, about 5,000, viz., about 1,000 partly paying, about 4,000 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$633 83	Salaries and wages	\$10,061 19
From beneficiaries	5,992 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	302 56
Subscriptions and donations	2,973 83	Committee's work	3,579 75
Income from investments	770 00	Merchandise	875 26
Special fees	576 06	Heat, light, and power	2,240 31
Sale of merchandise	1,320 86	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,776 19
Legacies	66,515 47	Water and ice	115 73
Subscriptions for memorial	668 10	Insurance	899 05
Sale of real estate	5,000 00	Taxes	1,204 05
Sale of bond	1,048 92	Interest	2,918 08
From tenants	12,320 18	Refunds	59 20
Miscellaneous	230 04	Miscellaneous	78 15
		Total current expenses	\$24,109 52
		Investments	71,022 06
		Cash on hand	1,597 53
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	\$96,729 11		\$96,729 11

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$153,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$69,000; value of investments, \$75,487.25.

SALEM YOUNG WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION, 18 Brown St., Salem. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. S. Herbert Wilkins, *President*; Miss Martha P. Ober, *Secretary*; Miss Annie C. Draper, *Treasurer*; Miss Caroline E. Martin, *General Secretary*.

The promotion of the physical, social, educational, and moral welfare of the young women and girls of Salem and vicinity.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$220 99	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,498 29
Subscriptions and donations	231 54	Printing, postage, and office supplies	144 28
Memberships	645 75	Provisions and supplies	126 98
Lodgers	730 67	Rent	81 50
Classes	234 40	Heat, light, and power	189 15
Entertainments	520 28	Furnishings and incidental repairs	60 77
Camp board	93 90	Interest on mortgage	200 00
Rent and exchange	55 15	Garden, entertainments	39 83
Miscellaneous	62 92	Game room and funds	151 29
		Paid on piano	46 00
		Miscellaneous	64 08
		Total current expenses	\$2,602 17
		Cash on hand	193 43
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	\$2,795 60		\$2,795 60

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,000.

THE SAMARITAN SOCIETY, 12 Federal St., Salem. (Incorporated 1881.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Mrs. R. E. Hill, *President*; Mrs. Clara E. Rowell, *Secretary*; Miss Mary F. Robinson, *Treasurer*.

To assist the aged and worthy poor.

Number aided during year, 139; number of families aided, 55.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$754 71	Provisions and supplies	\$257 55
Subscriptions and donations	275 00	Rent and board	1,152 50
Bequests	1,000 00	Fuel	2 40
Income from investments	1,113 30	Sickness	204 00
Mortgage discharged	1,000 00	Total current expenses	\$1,616 45
Bank liquidation	21 00	Income invested	1,498 52
Miscellaneous	20 76	Cash on hand	1,069 80
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	\$4,184 77		\$4,184 77

Value of investments, \$28,044.70.

SEAMAN'S WIDOW AND ORPHAN ASSOCIATION, Salem. (Incorporated 1844.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Charles E. Phippen, *President*; Miss Abbie K. Woodbury, *Secretary and Treasurer*.

Relief to widows and orphans of seamen.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 58.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Income from investments	\$3,387 40	Salaries and wages	\$200 00
Miscellaneous	42 99	Printing, postage, and office supplies	13 18
		Provisions and supplies	556 59
		To widows and orphans	2,653 20
		Miscellaneous	7 42
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	\$3,430 39		\$3,430 39

Value of investments, \$76,316.72.

WOMAN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, 12 and 14 Elm St., Salem. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edith Rantoul, *President*; Lucy W. Perry, *Secretary*; Sarah H. Brown, *Treasurer*; M. Pauline Smith, *Superintendent*.

Society provides a home for working women and girls of good character, an employment bureau, and district nurse.

Number of paid employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 39.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,887 32	Salaries and wages	\$4,380 09
From beneficiaries	8,365 90	Printing, postage, and office supplies	90 15
Subscriptions and donations	3,789 26	Provisions and supplies	5,485 18
Income from investments	1,324 94	Heat, light, and power	855 81
Miscellaneous	53 55	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,800 39
	<hr/>	Addition to building	4,851 95
Total current receipts	\$17,420 97	Industrial work	100 00
Loans to income	1,500 00	Insurance	69 25
		Miscellaneous	4 45
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		Total current expenses	\$17,637 27
		Income invested	216 16
		Cash on hand	1,067 54
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	\$18,920 97		\$18,920 97

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,000; value of investments, \$27,393.11.

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THE CHURCH HOME ASSOCIATION, 787 Broadway, Cliftondale. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

G. W. Doyle, *President*; Mary B. Anderson, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

Home for ministers and gospel workers.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$268 44	Wages	\$82 15
Deficit	279 21	Deficit from last year	19 60
		Materials for building	246 60
		Principal and interest on mortgage	89 96
		Service pipe and taxes	83 59
		Miscellaneous	25 75
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	\$547 65		\$547 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$700.

SHARON.

BOSTON LAKESHORE HOME, Lakeview St., Sharon Heights. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

F. A. Pelton, *President*; D. L. Smith, *Clerk*; F. F. McLeod, *Treasurer*; M. R. Deming, *Superintendent*.

To provide a summer vacation and day excursions for poor women and children, care for destitute boys on the farm, and camp for boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 2,681, viz., 317 partly paying, 2,364 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$159 66	Salaries and office expenses	\$3,157 14
Subscriptions and donations	8,026 21	Groceries and provisions	3,488 39
Income from investments	539 84	Employees of boys' farm	16 00
Board	2,239 20	Employees of Lakeshore Home	592 41
Farm products	214 07	Farm maintenance	436 98
Miscellaneous	697 25	Insurance and interest	907 96
		Railroad fares and freight	517 41
		Boys' camp	399 03
		Auto excursion	534 49
		Clothing and shoes	60 52
		Repairs and improvements	991 77
		Miscellaneous	727 95
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		Total current expenses	\$11,830 05
		Cash on hand	46 18
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	\$11,876 23		\$11,876 23

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes. \$21,900; amount of mortgage on same, \$4,000; value of investments, \$11,271.83.

SHARON SANATORIUM, Everett St., Sharon. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending December 1, 1912.

William T. Sedgwick, *President*; Mrs. Charles A. Porter, *Secretary*; Nathaniel H. Stone, *Treasurer*; Miss Alice R. Hodges, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of incipient tuberculosis in women of limited means.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 49, viz., 44 paying. 5 partly paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$5,530 63	Salaries and wages . .	\$6,016 09
From beneficiaries . .	11,328 73	Printing, postage, and office supplies	495 97
Subscriptions and donations . .	3,441 01	Provisions and supplies . .	7,118 82
Income from investments . .	2,146 95	Heat, light, and power . .	1,907 44
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,991 94
Total current receipts . .	\$22,493 92	Stable expenses	422 82
Transferred from capital . .	2,000 00	Insurance	588 40
		Freight and express . .	249 26
		Garden and grounds . .	95 10
		Miscellaneous	3,395 57
		Total current expenses . .	\$23,281 41
		Cash on hand	1,212 51
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	\$24,493 92		\$24,493 92

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes. \$40,000; value of investments, \$51,000.

SHERBORN.

SHERBORN WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY, Sherborn. (Incorporated 1860.)

Report for year ending October 19, 1913.

Mrs. Cora E. Leland, *President*; Mrs. Martha D. Leland, *Secretary*; Mrs. Abbie S. Leland, *Treasurer*.

To aid widows and orphans in reduced circumstances.

Number aided during year, 16.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$91 70	Treasurer's expenses . .	\$2 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	75 00	Rent, safe deposit box . .	5 00
Income from investments . .	333 89	To beneficiaries	321 00
Membership fees	6 50		
		Total current expenses . .	\$328 00
		Cash on hand	179 09
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	\$507 09		\$507 09

SOMERVILLE.

**ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF SOMERVILLE, 247 Pearl St., Somerville.
(Incorporated 1902.)**

Report for year ending December 13, 1912.

Rev. Charles L. Noyes, *President*; Caroline T. Sprague, *Secretary*; Nathan H. Reed, *Treasurer*; Mary L. Serrat, *Executive Secretary*.

To co-ordinate the philanthropic agencies of the community for the better relief of poverty and the elevation of the general level of life.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3 (2 part time).

Number aided during year, 276, viz., 26 partly paying, 250 free; number of families aided, 64.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$19 74	Salaries and wages	\$906 85
Subscriptions and donations	1,428 83	Printing, postage, and office supplies	194 38
Annuities and bequests to income	200 00	Provisions and supplies	606 83
Income from investments	350 00	Rent	120 00
Reimbursement (aid given)	6 75	Heat, light, and power	3 01
Miscellaneous	1 61	Miscellaneous	21 55
		Total current expenses	\$1,852 62
		Cash on hand	154 31
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	\$2,006 93		\$2,006 93

Value of investments, \$7,000.

SOMERVILLE BOYS' CLUB, Bonner Ave., corner Washington St., Somerville. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Benjamin F. Freeman, *President*; Justin N. Lovett, *Secretary*; Frederic W. Stone, *Treasurer*; Clifford E. Batcheller, *Superintendent*.

Nonsectarian club, to keep boys from the streets and furnish instruction and entertainment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 650.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$200 45	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,193 98
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,289 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	282 74
Income from investments	2 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	108 10
Sale, waste paper, etc. . . .	69 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	175 40
Glass work	64 33	Class supplies	107 10
From boys	47 47	Telephone	36 23
Use of pool tables	37 00	Discount of notes	26 46
		Campaign expenses	10 00
		Miscellaneous	44 61
Total current receipts	\$2,710 18		
Notes payable	1,200 00	Total current expenses . . .	\$2,984 62
		Income invested	2 00
		Notes payable	900 00
		Cash on hand	23 56
	\$3,910 18		\$3,910 18

Value of investments, \$202.

**SOMERVILLE HOME FOR THE AGED, 7-11 Grandview Ave., Somerville.
(Incorporated 1898.)**

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Clara P. Haven, *President*; Mrs. Rebecca S. Waldron, *Secretary*; Mrs. Belle A. Williston, *Treasurer*; Miss Lillie L. Hubbard, *Matron*.

Home for persons at least sixty years of age, residents of Somerville for five years. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 18.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,982 92	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,431 50
From beneficiaries	200 00	Printing	15 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	399 52	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,024 93
Bequests	31,334 93	Heat, light, and power . . .	575 37
Income from investments	3,075 03	Furnishings and incidental repairs	486 05
Miscellaneous	17 59	Taxes	23 32
		Funeral expenses	102 30
Total current receipts	\$44,009 99	Bonding company	25 00
Sale of securities	5,000 00	Insurance	31 00
		Box rent, Old Colony Trust Company	10 00
		Miscellaneous	88 58
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,813 05
		Income invested	36,062 57
		Cash on hand	9,134 37
	\$49,009 99		\$49,009 99

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$13,300; value of investments, \$73,050.

**SOMERVILLE HOSPITAL, corner Crocker and Crown Sts., Somerville.
(Incorporated 1891.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Luke W. Farmer, *President*; Frederic W. Stone, *Clerk*; Albert W. Edmands, *Treasurer*; Elizabeth C. Hogle, *Matron*.

Treatment of persons who need surgical or medical attendance during temporary sickness or injury.

Number of paid officers or employees, 34.

Number aided during year, 597, viz., 274 paying, 323 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$900 22	Salaries and wages . . .	\$8,557 91
From beneficiaries . . .	10,668 31	Provisions and supplies . . .	7,061 23
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,225 32	Water and ice . . .	761 52
Annuities and bequests to income	7,675 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,752 90
Income from investments . . .	1,344 32	Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,021 00
Bonds matured	3,000 00	Medical supplies	538 40
		Surgical supplies	1,121 12
		Printing and telephone . . .	342 35
		Interest and insurance . . .	991 44
		Miscellaneous	381 72
		Total current expenses . . .	\$24,529 59
		Income invested	8,794 60
		Cash on hand	488 98
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	\$33,813 17		\$33,813 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$57,073.55; amount of mortgage, \$15,000; value of investments, \$34,875.28.

**SOMERVILLE HOSPITAL LADIES' AID ASSOCIATION, Crocker St.,
Somerville. (Incorporated 1893.)**

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

Mrs. Charles P. Battelle, *President*; Mrs. Charles H. Vose, *Secretary*; Miss Martha A. Vinal,¹ *Treasurer*; Miss Elizabeth Hogle, *Matron*.

To aid the Somerville Hospital in carrying on its charitable work.

Number aided during year, 11, viz., 2 partly paying, 9 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$398 27	Postage	\$0 64
From beneficiaries	19 00	Supplies for hospital	185 11
Subscriptions and donations . . .	272 36	Free beds	500 00
Membership fees	188 00	Miscellaneous	2 00
Entertainments	319 76	Total current expenses . . .	\$687 75
Interest on deposits	21 54	Cash on hand	531 18
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	\$1,218 93		\$1,218 93

¹ Miss Lucy F. White elected treasurer for coming year.

VISITING NURSING ASSOCIATION OF SOMERVILLE, Highland Ave., Somerville. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending April 15, 1913.

Mrs. Sanford Hanscom, *President*; Miss Edith Wellington, *Secretary*; Mrs. Frank W. Kaan, *Treasurer*.

To provide the best nursing in the homes of the poor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Calls made during year, 4,902, viz., 4,201 paying, 701 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,257 35	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,972 72
From beneficiaries . . .	1,251 35	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	178 63
Sales, donations, etc. . .	853 52	Provisions and supplies . . .	627 73
Membership fees . . .	398 50		
Interest . . .	24 47	Total current expenses . . .	\$2,779 08
		Cash on hand . . .	1,006 11
	\$3,785 19		\$3,785 19

WASHINGTON STREET DAY NURSERY OF SOMERVILLE, 144 Washington St., Somerville. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Hannah W. Robertson, *President*; Mrs. S. Josephine Battelle, *Secretary*; Mrs. Gertrude R. Clark, *Treasurer*.

To assist children. At present all work is done by a school visitor.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number of families visited, about 100.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$613 92	Salaries and wages . . .	\$93 75
Subscriptions and donations . . .	345 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	9 61
Income from investments . . .	157 96	Provisions and supplies . . .	31 81
		Miscellaneous . . .	44 60
		Total current expenses . . .	\$179 77
		Cash on hand . . .	937 13
	\$1,116 90		\$1,116 90

Value of investments, \$3,149.

SPENCER.**SPENCER GOOD SAMARITAN AND DISTRICT NURSE ASSOCIATION, Pleasant St., Spencer. (Incorporated 1902.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Mrs. J. R. Kane, *President*; Mrs. Sarah S. Monroe, *Secretary and Treasurer*; Miss Hattie Worthington, *Custodian*.

Lending articles to be used in connection with the District Nurse Association's work.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$740 08	Salaries and wages . . .	\$20 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	21 15	Provisions and supplies . . .	1 40
Income from investments . . .	13 80	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	18 89
		Miscellaneous . . .	2 50
		Total current expenses . . .	\$42 79
		Cash on hand . . .	732 24
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	\$775 08		\$775 03

SPRINGFIELD.

BABY FEEDING ASSOCIATION OF SPRINGFIELD, 613 Main St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending November 26, 1913.

Dr. A. C. Eastman, *President*; Mrs. R. C. Cooley, *Secretary*; Charles W. Burt, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Marion Hockemeier, *Nurse*.

To reduce infant mortality by furnishing properly modified milk at reasonable price; to give instruction as to nursing, proper feeding, clothing, and care of babies.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 221, viz., 37 paying, 147 partly paying, 37 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$374 15	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,249 11
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,100 14	Milk . . .	1,023 11
From sale of milk . . .	1,458 66	Rent . . .	319 99
From play . . .	675 34	Heat, light, power, furnishings, and incidental repairs . . .	638 37
		Dues, Philanthropic Council . . .	5 00
		Summer camp . . .	183 23
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,418 81
		Cash on hand . . .	189 48
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	\$3,608 29		\$3,608 29

THE GOOD SHEPHERD ASSOCIATION OF SPRINGFIELD, Wilbraham Rd., Springfield. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, *President*; E. A. Hall, *Secretary*; Elizabeth Falvey, *Treasurer*; Annie Ginaud, *Matron*.

The reformation of wayward and fallen girls and women, irrespective of race or creed. Also care of juvenile delinquents.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 211, viz., 5 paying, 5 partly paying, 201 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$386 42	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,988 61
From beneficiaries . . .	1,386 73	Printing, postage, and office supplies	427 91
Subscriptions and donations	3,726 92	Provisions and supplies . . .	8,684 42
Bequests to income . . .	1,300 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,270 44
Loan	400 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,485 37
Benefit lecture	866 50	Paid on mortgage	8,659 00
Ladies' Aid members . . .	110 50	Interest on mortgage . . .	2,830 51
Rent of cottage	160 00	Taxes and insurance . . .	716 30
Industries	14,482 79		
Collection for mortgage . .	8,400 00		
		Total current expenses . .	\$31,062 56
		Cash on hand	157 30
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	\$31,219 86		\$31,219 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$96,400; amount of mortgage on same, \$57,900.

HAMPDEN COUNTY CHILDREN'S AID ASSOCIATION, 5 Court House Pl., Springfield. (Incorporated 1880.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. T. O. Bemis, *President*; Mrs. J. D. Alexander, *Secretary*; Mrs. J. Stuart Kirkham, *Treasurer*; Orrin G. Cash, *Agent*.

To provide effective means for the prevention of cruelty to children and to promote the welfare of indigent and neglected children, finding homes in respectable families, and keeping watchful guardianship over them.

Number of paid employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 110, viz., 31 paying, 39 partly paying, 40 free; number of families aided, 40.

Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 17. Number of placing-out visitors, 15.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,099 70	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,264 33
Subscriptions and donations	1,276 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	206 81
Interest	253 42	Rent	380 00
Annual fair	2,115 21	Board and care of children	909 32
		Miscellaneous	82 68
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,843 14
		Cash on hand	7,901 19
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	\$11,744 33		\$11,744 33

Value of investments, \$45,650.11.

HAMPDEN HOSPITAL, 700 State St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending June 30, 1913.

Clifton A. Crocker, *President*; Alice E. Pierson, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; Walter R. Weiser, *Treasurer*.

General hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 40.

Number aided during year, 1,056, viz., 927 paying, 87 partly paying, 42 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$5,000 00	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,723 84
From beneficiaries . . .	24,702 43	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	532 94
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,000 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	13,542 20
		Rent	2,296 39
Total current receipts . . .	\$30,702 43	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,637 62
Loans to income . . .	37,100 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	36,704 14
		Payment on real estate . . .	5,000 00
		Miscellaneous	180 19
		Total current expenses . . .	\$66,618 32
		Cash on hand	1,184 11
	<u>\$67,802 43</u>		<u>\$67,802 43</u>

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$69,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$65,000.

THE HORACE SMITH FUND, Springfield. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Charles H. Barrows, *President*; John W. B. Brand, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*.

The aid of educational, charitable, and religious objects and especially, but not exclusively, the aid of young persons in acquiring an education.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 36.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,843 76	Salaries and wages	\$276 67
Income from investments . . .	7,069 92	Printing, postage, and office supplies	101 14
		To beneficiaries	6,132 00
		Interest on investments . . .	469 09
		Total current expenses . . .	\$6,978 90
		Cash on hand	2,934 78
	<u>\$9,913 68</u>		<u>\$9,913 68</u>

Value of investments, \$200,447.48.

**INDUSTRIAL HOUSE CHARITIES, 103 William St. and 23 Pendleton Ave.,
Springfield. (Incorporated 1895.)**

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. F. H. Stebbins, *President*; Miss Louise R. McClean, *Secretary*; Miss Martha M. Mills, *Treasurer*; Mrs. F. H. Nicholson, *Superintendent*.

To aid the poor of Springfield by day nurseries, employment bureaus, and laundry.

Number of paid officers or employees, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$976 41	Salaries and wages . . .	\$6,531 63
From beneficiaries . . .	873 22	Printing, postage, and office supplies	64 87
Subscriptions and donations	1,931 06	Provisions and supplies	1,709 37
Income from investments	1,551 48	Heat, light, and power	746 72
Laundry	4,115 02	Repairs	708 84
Fair	1,071 09	Telephone	88 01
Clothing sales	633 83	Insurance and water rent	53 63
		Miscellaneous	476 37
		Total current expenses	\$10,384 49
		Cash on hand	767 62
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	\$11,152 11		\$11,152 11

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$32,000; value of investments, \$29,817.47.

**JAMES W. HALE FUND, TRUSTEES OF, Springfield. (Incorporated
1882.)**

Report for year ending October 31, 1913.

Robert O. Morris, 82 Temple Street, Springfield, *Trustee*.

To purchase fuel, stoves, and flour for the deserving poor people of the city of Springfield.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 166.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,188 78	Agent, Union Relief Association, investigating cases	\$200 00
Income from investments	1,729 62	Care of funds	75 00
		Paid for fuel, stoves, and flour for deserving poor	1,455 46
		Total current expenses	\$1,730 46
		Cash on hand	1,187 94
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	\$2,918 40		\$2,918 40

Value of investments, \$34,400.

MERCY HOSPITAL, 233 Carew St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Rev. Thomas Smyth, *Secretary*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Agatha, *Superintendent*.

Treatment of medical, surgical, and obstetrical patients; diseases of children; eye, ear, nose, and throat.

Number of paid officers or employees, 28.

Number aided during year, 2,651, viz., 2,418 paying, 100 partly paying, 133 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$8,354 86	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,817 29
From beneficiaries . . .	52,182 66	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	356 35
Subscriptions and donations . . .	823 85	Provisions and supplies . . .	24,648 88
Miscellaneous . . .	100 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	3,508 77
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Total current receipts . . .	\$61,451 37	Insurance . . .	355 00
Loans to income . . .	9,000 00	Interest on mortgage . . .	4,725 00
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$70,191 80
		Cash on hand . . .	269 57
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	\$70,451 37		\$70,451 37

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$150,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$105,000.

THE PARTICULAR COUNCIL OF THE SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, St. Joseph's School Building, Elliot St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edward A. Hall, *President*; Charles J. Maloney, *Secretary*; Bernard Mulvaney, *Treasurer*.

Relieving the poor in their homes, and the care of orphans and dependent children.

Number aided during year, 703; number of families aided, 162.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,762 92	Provisions and supplies . . .	\$2,948 88
From beneficiaries . . .	1,564 25	Rent, board, and tuition . . .	4,081 18
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,333 88	<hr/>	
<hr/>		Total current expenses . . .	\$7,030 06
		Cash on hand . . .	630 99
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	\$7,661 05		\$7,661 05

PEOPLE'S INSTITUTE, 321 Chestnut St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1907.)

Report for year ending February 12, 1913.

Henry Lasker, *President*; Mary L. Birnie, *Secretary*; Eleanor P. Touresley, *Treasurer*.

To furnish intellectual and practical instruction and social recreation.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 300.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$506 46	Salaries and wages	\$614 14
Subscriptions and donations	2,287 17	Printing, postage, and office supplies	233 36
Interest	1 47	Provisions and supplies	680 71
Library and telephone fines	15 21	Rent	330 00
Miscellaneous	193 13	Heat, light, and power	191 20
		Piano rental	64 00
		Car fare and express	11 45
		Telephone service	78 00
		Miscellaneous	580 62
		Total current expenses	\$2,783 57
		Cash on hand	219 87
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	\$3,003 44		\$3,003 44

SPRINGFIELD BOYS' CLUB, Chestnut St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Walter Birnie, *President*; Donald North, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*; Dale S. Tate, *Treasurer*.

To promote good citizenship.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 2,016, viz., 1,018 paying, 998 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$137 53	Salaries and wages	\$4,014 54
From beneficiaries	231 26	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,114 44
Subscriptions and donations	6,002 70	Water	57 86
Total current receipts	\$6,371 49	Heat, light, and power	857 93
Loans to income	1,081 08	Furnishings and incidental repairs	66 82
		Charities (home fund)	459 67
		Summer camp	630 00
		Printing press	135 00
		Miscellaneous	116 31
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	\$7,452 57		\$7,452 57

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,500; value of investment, \$46,000.

SPRINGFIELD HOME FOR AGED MEN, 74 Walnut St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending February 19, 1913.

Charles H. Barrows, *President*; Irving S. Pulcifer, *Clerk* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Anna S. Dewey, *Matron*.

Home for Protestant men, at least sixty years of age, natives of United States, and residents of Springfield for at least ten years prior to application. Admission, \$400 and conveyance of property to home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year in institution, 5, viz., 2 partly paying, 3 free; outside institution, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,320 58	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,070 00
From beneficiaries . .	498 62	Provisions and supplies . .	716 89
Income from investments . .	3,210 26	Heat and light . . .	191 47
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	129 15
		Care of outside beneficiaries . .	1,072 80
		Telephone . . .	25 00
		Premium treasurer's bond . .	25 00
		Cash to beneficiaries . .	144 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	308 60
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,682 91
		Cash on hand . . .	1,346 55
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	\$5,029 46		\$5,029 46

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$8,600; value of investments, \$79,480.12.

SPRINGFIELD HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 471 Chestnut St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. George Dwight Pratt, *President*; William P. Draper, *Clerk*; Joseph Shattuck, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Adelaide L. Newell, *Matron*.

Home for women, at least sixty-five years of age, residents of Springfield. Admission, \$500 and conveyance of property to home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 10.

Number aided during year, 59.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$7,496 97	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,572 89
From beneficiaries . .	9,657 95	Provisions and supplies . .	7,037 67
Subscriptions and donations . .	765 39	Heat, light, and power . .	1,734 41
Income from investments . .	13,871 39	Refund of entrance fee . .	2,643 08
Loans paid . . .	3,976 00		
Investments sold . . .	30,795 04	Total current expenses . .	\$15,988 05
Miscellaneous . . .	29 95	Income invested . . .	36,147 75
		Cash on hand . . .	14,456 89
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	\$66,592 69		\$66,592 69

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$75,000; value of investments, \$226,301.91.

SPRINGFIELD HOMES FOR FRIENDLESS WOMEN AND CHILDREN,
Children's Home, 37 Buckingham St.; Women's Home, 136 William
St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1865.)

Report for year ending January 16, 1913.

Mrs. J. H. Carmichael, *President*; Mrs. M. F. Adams, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Geo. B. Joslyn, *Treasurer*; Mrs. A. H. Holden, *Children's*
Home Matron; Mrs. E. B. Epstein, *Women's Home Matron*.

To provide a temporary home for friendless and destitute women
and children. (Boys and girls.)

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year, 63, viz., 41 paying, 4 partly paying,
19 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$755 23	Salaries and wages . .	\$4,521 51
From beneficiaries . .	2,071 53	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	71 60
Subscriptions and donations . .	1,127 56	Provisions and supplies . .	4,150 36
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	4,594 91	Heat, light, and power . .	1,589 66
Income from investments . .	6,806 80	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,164 93
Permanent fund . . .	3,000 00	Insurance . . .	98 60
		Watering streets . . .	10 85
		Miscellaneous . . .	28 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$11,635 51
		Income invested . . .	6,017 08
		Cash on hand . . .	703 44
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	\$18,356 03		\$18,356 03

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$40,000. Value of investments, \$144,096.52.

**THE SPRINGFIELD HOSPITAL, North Chestnut St., Springfield. (In-
corporated 1883.)**

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Col. S. E. Blunt, *President*; Charles H. Beckwith, *Clerk*; George
H. Kemater, *Treasurer*; Miss J. E. Cotton, *Superintendent*.

Care of the sick. Chronic, contagious, and insane cases not admitted.

Number of paid officers or employees, 100.

Number aided during year in institution, 2,657, viz., 2,302 paying, 123 partly paying, 232 free. Number of free nursing calls by district nurse, 1,708.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,228 94	Salaries and wages . .	\$25,370 50
From beneficiaries . .	70,754 42	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	935 55
Subscriptions and donations . .	1,306 80	Provisions and supplies . .	36,963 75
Income from investments . .	11,041 80	Rent	1,850 00
Miscellaneous	872 59	Heat, light, and power . .	9,030 56
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	4,432 05
		Laundry work	2,692 17
		Insurance	92 25
		X-ray work	1,528 67
		Telephone	611 11
		Miscellaneous	1,623 71
		Total current expenses . .	\$85,130 32
		Cash on hand	74 23
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	\$85,204 55		\$85,204 55

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$227,162.36; value of investments, \$237,000.

THE SPRINGFIELD RESCUE MISSION, 36 Willow St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

R. B. Currier, *President*; J. Stuart Kirkham, *Secretary*; Edward O. Sutton, *Treasurer*; J. L. Cummings, *Superintendent*.

To rescue and reform men and women, and to assist them in finding employment. Gives lodgings to men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 6,780.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$269 61	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,410 00
Subscriptions and donations . .	3,945 44	Printing, postage, and office supplies	117 37
		Provisions and supplies . .	991 22
		Heat, light, and power . .	615 40
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	251 47
		Insurance and interest . .	482 04
		Miscellaneous	244 75
		Total current expenses . .	\$4,112 25
		Cash on hand	102 80
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	\$4,215 05		\$4,215 05

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$45,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$8,000.

SPRINGFIELD YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 166 State St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending October 30, 1913.

W. A. Lincoln, *President*; Herbert C. Hastings, *Secretary*; C. B. Potter, *Treasurer*; Kenneth Robbie, *General Secretary*.

Number of paid officers or employees, 20.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
From beneficiaries . . .	\$28,853 56	Salaries and wages . . .	\$15,544 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	10,277 78	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	2,850 60
Income from investments . . .	791 66	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,527 00
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	847 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	18,128 40
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			\$39,897 00
		Cash on hand . . .	26 00
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\$39,923 00			

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$200,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$50,000; value of investments, \$20,000.

SPRINGFIELD YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 22 to 30 Howard St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1882.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Mrs. W. F. Andrews, *President*; Miss Julia L. Avery, *Secretary*; Miss Ruth A. Rockwell, *Treasurer*; Anna B. Abbott, *General Secretary*.

For the purpose of benevolence and charity, more especially for promoting the religious, intellectual, and social welfare of women.

Number of paid officers or employees, 21.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$3,016 66	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,251 12
Subscriptions and donations . . .	2,136 00	Printing, postage and office supplies . . .	325 00
Income from investments . . .	1,640 37	Provisions and supplies . . .	9,590 94
Boarders . . .	20,842 14	Laundry . . .	228 98
Educational classes . . .	1,407 51	Heat, light, and power . . .	2,927 15
Summer home . . .	1,019 79	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,262 51
Entertainments . . .	434 08	Educational classes . . .	1,548 48
Legacies and interest . . .	4,767 22	Summer home . . .	1,658 40
Miscellaneous . . .	274 31	Telephone . . .	134 78
		Water tax . . .	96 26
		Miscellaneous . . .	1,105 81
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$28,129 43
		Income invested . . .	2,887 50
		Cash on hand . . .	4,521 15
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\$35,538 08			\$35,538 08

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$134,500; value of investments, \$27,524.05.

UNION RELIEF ASSOCIATION, 613½ Main St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Edward S. Bradford, *President*; Miss Emma C. Youngquist, *Secretary*; John W. B. Brand, *Treasurer*.

To systematize the charities of the city; to promote the general welfare of the poor; to reduce pauperism; and to prevent indiscriminate giving and duplication of aid.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 2,346; number of families aided, 574.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,158 52	Salaries . . .	\$2,871 07
From beneficiaries . . .	323 01	House rents paid . . .	222 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,440 51	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	596 18
Income from investments . . .	1,698 25	Beneficiaries . . .	152 00
Subletting office room . . .	625 00	Office rent and telephone . . .	961 24
		Provisions and supplies . . .	1,295 15
		Advances for fuel . . .	363 78
		Funeral expenses . . .	13 94
		Medicines . . .	17 45
		Electric light . . .	25 36
		Trucking and express . . .	70 43
		To "housing committee" . . .	200 00
		Subscriptions and dues . . .	6 48
		Transportation . . .	60 56
		Loans made . . .	43 00
		Contingent fund for sundries . . .	130 00
		Storage . . .	6 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	66 28
		Total current expenses . . .	\$7,100 92
		Cash on hand . . .	1,144 37
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	\$8,245 29		\$8,245 29

Value of investments, \$36,167.50.

WESSON MATERNITY HOSPITAL, 120 High St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Frank H. Wesson, *President*; George P. Chapin, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Winifred H. Brooks, *Superintendent*.

Treating and caring for women during the lying-in period; also for the care and treatment of infants born of patients while in said hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 50.

Number aided during year, 626, viz., 618 paying, 8 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,352 89	Salaries and wages . .	\$13,046 14
From beneficiaries . .	24,977 66	Provisions and supplies .	12,080 36
Income from investments .	977 94	Telephone	263 64
Trust funds	9,633 26	Heat, light, and power .	2,735 97
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	3,364 58
		Interest and insurance .	187 00
		Bills payable	1,000 00
		Installing lighting system,	
		etc.	1,118 00
		Total current expenses .	\$33,795 69
		Cash on hand	5,146 06
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	\$38,941 75		\$38,941 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$207,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,000; value of investments, \$215,000.

WESSON MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, 140 High St., Springfield. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Alfred N. Mayo, *President*; James P. Stearns, *Secretary*; Edward O. Sutton, *Treasurer*; Hilda M. Boyd, *Superintendent*.

Care of sick and injured.

Number of paid officers or employees, 50.

Number aided during year, 595, viz., 462 paying, 39 partly paying, 94 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,672 47	Salaries and wages . .	\$11,482 87
From beneficiaries . .	20,832 66	Printing, postage, and in-	
Subscriptions and donations	38 00	surance	251 25
Income from investments .	12,455 95	Provisions and supplies .	14,319 77
		Water tax	733 76
		Heat, light, and power .	4,414 08
		Overpaid accounts . .	117 17
		Repairs	1,155 61
		Equipment	332 99
		Telephone and telegraph .	116 11
		Total current expenses .	\$32,923 61
		Cash on hand	2,075 47
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	\$34,999 08		\$34,999 08

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$230,000; value of investments, \$257,500.

STONEHAM.

HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE IN STONEHAM, Stoneham. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending April 29, 1913.

Edgar L. Patch, *President*; Mary W. Souther, *Secretary*; William O. Richardson, *Treasurer*.

Home for aged people.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$6,809 23	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	\$2 50
Subscriptions and donations . . .	397 40	Cash on hand . . .	7,560 98
Income from investments . . .	256 85		
Legacy . . .	100 00		
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	\$7,563 48		\$7,563 48

Value of investments, \$7,560.98.

Home not yet open.

NEW ENGLAND SANITARIUM AND BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, Woodland Rd., Stoneham. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

W. B. White, *President*; J. G. White, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. J. G. White, *Superintendent*.

Sanatorium for treatment of nervous and chronic diseases.

Number of paid officers or employees, 102.

Number aided during year, 1,248, viz., 1,105 paying, 114 partly paying, 29 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$136 12	Salaries and wages . . .	\$26,390 95
From beneficiaries . . .	73,296 11	Printing, postage, office supplies, provisions and supplies, rent, heat, light, power, furnishings, and incidental repairs . . .	53,503 30
Subscriptions and donations . . .	638 74		
Miscellaneous . . .	2,827 96		
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Total current receipts . . .	\$76,898 93	Total current expenses . . .	\$79,894 25
Loans to income . . .	3,544 26	Cash on hand . . .	548 94
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	\$80,443 19		\$80,443 19

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$53,800; amount of mortgage on same, \$32,350.

STOW.

RED ACRE FARM INCORPORATED, Stow. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Edward W. Emerson, *President*; Henry C. Merwin, *Secretary*;
Harriet G. Bird, *Treasurer*.

Charity for horses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number of horses cared for, 340.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$790 89	Salaries and wages . .	\$3,210 48
From beneficiaries . .	3,103 89	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	4,697 50	supplies	140 95
Annuities and bequests to		Provisions and supplies . .	1,900 05
income	2,305 50	Rent	355 00
Income from investments .	797 28	Heat, light, and power . .	219 90
Farm produce	182 09	Furnishings and incidental	
Rents	104 00	repairs	1,393 94
Miscellaneous	38 66	Old horses rescued	658 50
		Land	550 00
		Automobile	750 00
		Water plant	448 44
		Taxes	65 25
		Miscellaneous	124 35
		Total current expenses . .	\$9,816 86
		Cash on hand	2,202 95
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	\$12,019 81		\$12,019 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes,
\$9,276.82; value of investments, \$16,704.41.

SWAMPSCOTT.

FLORENCE CRITTENTON RESCUE LEAGUE, 145 Essex St., Swampscott. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Mrs. Nellie M. Coburn, *President*; Mrs. Adela B. Thomas, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Josephine Dunphey, *Treasurer*; Priscilla Colclough,
Matron.

To rescue and encourage unfortunate girls, and to elevate them
to pure Christian womanhood.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2 (part time).

Number aided during year, 42, viz., 19 paying, 9 partly paying,
14 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$34 00	Salaries and wages	\$235 65
From beneficiaries	1,014 99	Printing, postage, and office supplies	22 79
Subscriptions and donations	1,212 63	Provisions and supplies	876 88
		Insurance and interest	266 00
		Heat, light, and power	339 98
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	19 07
		Hospital supplies	174 32
		Sewer and water bill	66 98
		Old bills	75 00
		Telephone and telegraph	44 11
		Miscellaneous	47 52
		Total current expenses	\$2,168 30
		Cash on hand	93 32
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	\$2,261 62		\$2,261 62

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; amount of mortgage on same, \$3,769.

SWANSEA.

REST HOUSE, INCORPORATED, Swansea. (Incorporated 1910.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, *President*; Clarence H. Poor, *Secretary*; Charles E. Rogerson, *Treasurer*.

Place of rest and recuperation for the clergy and laymen of the Episcopal church in the diocese of Massachusetts.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 2,500.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$70 00	Salaries and wages	\$2,201 02
Income from investments	3,334 14	Printing, postage, and office supplies	150 00
Guests at Rest House	2,520 20	Provisions and supplies	2,712 54
		Heat, light, and power	547 75
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	168 03
		Bond of treasurer	25 00
		Safe deposit box	10 00
		Insurance	40 00
		Total current expenses	\$5,854 34
		Cash on hand	70 00
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	\$5,924 34		\$5,924 34

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,000; value of investments, \$69,799.15.

TAUNTON.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF TAUNTON, 70½ Main St., Taunton. (Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending April 1, 1913.

Malcolm Taylor, *President*; Mrs. Lizzie I. Burt, *Secretary*; Elijah E. Richards, *Treasurer*; Miss Bertha J. Southwick, *General Secretary*.

To promote efficient co-operation of charities in Taunton; to diminish pauperism; to prevent begging and imposture; to co-operate with anti-tuberculosis society of Taunton in the prevention and relief of consumption.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 331, viz., 15 partly paying, 316 free; number of families aided, 101.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$30 27	Salaries and wages . . .	\$600 00
From beneficiaries . . .	12 20	Printing, postage, and office supplies	85 59
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,255 84	Provisions and supplies . . .	359 07
Income from investments . . .	22 70	Rent and heat	120 00
		Light	80
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	9 40
		Telephone	25 88
		Travel	6 00
		Periodical	2 00
		Miscellaneous	2 63
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,211 37
		Cash on hand	109 64
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	\$1,321 01		\$1,321 01

Value of investments, \$600.

BETHLEHEM HOME, 61 Summer St., Taunton. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. D. F. Feehan, *President*; Rev. M. H. Fox, *Secretary*; Rev. T. B. Sweeney, *Treasurer*; Sister M. Hilary, *Matron*.

Care of children (boys and girls) under five years of age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 52, viz., 14 paying, 8 partly paying, 30 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$93 99	Salaries and wages	\$845 00
From beneficiaries	1,844 70	Printing, postage, and office supplies	30 05
Subscriptions and donations	945 12	Provisions and supplies	1,411 26
		Heat, light, and power	386 42
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	201 08
		Total current expenses	\$2,873 81
		Cash on hand	10 00
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	\$2,883 81		\$2,883 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$11,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,500.

TAUNTON FEMALE CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION, 96 Broadway, Taunton.
(Incorporated 1829.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Jane M. Seaver, *President*; Mrs. Charles T. Hubbard, *Secretary*; Miss Maria W. Baylies, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Lucy Dunbar, *Matron*.

Home for women at least sixty years of age, residents of Taunton for ten years. Admission fee, \$300 and conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 14.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Subscriptions and donations	\$2,340 50	Salaries and wages	\$1,819 40
Income from investments	2,040 95	Provisions and supplies	1,703 23
Bequest	100 00	Heat, light, and power	571 40
Tax rebate	181 79	Furnishings and incidental repairs	312 93
Sales	253 04	Water	42 75
Miscellaneous	12 14	Telephone	34 00
		Medicine	51 00
		Miscellaneous	23 49
		Total current expenses	\$4,558 20
		Cash on hand	370 22
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	\$4,928 42		\$4,928 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$14,300; value of investments, \$51,259.14.

HEBREW LADIES' HELPING HAND SOCIETY OF TAUNTON, Taunton.
(Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending November 28, 1913.

Esther Goldstein, *President*; Sofia Franklin, *Secretary*; Annie Goldstein, *Treasurer*.

Helping the poor and needy people of Taunton.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$209 71	Provisions and supplies . .	\$130 25
Dues	14 00	Expenses	6 60
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Total current receipts . .	\$223 71	Total current expenses . .	\$136 85
From bank	125 00	Cash on hand	211 86
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\$348 71		\$348 71	

TAUNTON HOSPITAL COMPANY, 88 Washington St., Taunton. (Incorporated 1888.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Silas D. Presbry, M.D., *President*; Martha Perry, M.D., *Secretary*; Robert M. Leach, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Jennie S. Berry, registered nurse, *Superintendent*.

Care of sick and wounded without restrictions.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year, 553, viz., 349 paying, 116 partly paying, 28 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,222 46	Salaries and wages	\$6,075 87
From beneficiaries . .	12,151 19	Printing, postage, and office supplies	317 73
Subscriptions and donations	11,167 21	Provisions and supplies . .	4,859 05
Annuities and bequests to income	5,000 00	Heat, light, and power . .	3,152 58
Income from investments .	2,963 70	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,154 20
Notes payable	8,500 00	New building	19,110 30
		Interest	262 54
		Insurance	175 00
		Nurses' library	57 92
		Sprinkling and sewer . . .	25 35
		Miscellaneous	558 88
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		Total current expenses . .	\$35,749 42
		Income invested	5,000 00
		Cash on hand	255 14
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Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$102,000; value of investments, \$44,591.30.

TEMPLETON.

THE HOSPITAL COTTAGES FOR CHILDREN, Baldwinsville. (Incorporated 1882.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

Herbert S. Morley, *President*; Robert N. Wallis, *Secretary*; George L. Clark, *Treasurer*; Dr. H. W. Page, *Superintendent*.

The care, training, and treatment of diseased, maimed, feeble-minded, destitute, and orphan children. (Boys and girls.)

Number of paid officers or employees, 50.

Number aided during year, 131, viz., 2 paying, 113 partly paying, 16 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$8,356 79	Salaries and wages . .	\$16,216 40
From beneficiaries . .	16,241 44	Clothing	519 83
Subscriptions and donations	752 54	Provisions and supplies .	5,780 73
Bequests	1,159 60	Medicines, etc. . . .	328 43
Income from investments .	14,004 09	Heat, light, power, and	
Donations for free beds .	3,097 81	water	3,357 64
Donations for schools . .	298 84	Furnishings and incidental	
Cash sales	2,139 18	repairs	2,937 73
Miscellaneous	367 52	Building repairs, extraor-	
		dinary	1,541 47
		Additional water supply	
		equipment	475 55
		Hay and grain	2,841 81
		General expenses . . .	2,933 95
		Total current expenses .	\$36,933 54
		Invested	1,376 09
		Cash on hand	8,108 18
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	\$46,417 81		\$46,417 81

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$84,295; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$336,998.07.

WAKEFIELD.

WAKEFIELD HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 5 Bennett St., Wakefield. (Incorporated 1894.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Ida F. Carlisle, *President*; Mrs. Mary F. Aborn, *Secretary*; Miss Eunice A. Wiley, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eunice Porter, *Superintendent*.

Home for Protestant women over sixty years of age, residents of Wakefield for ten years. Admission, \$200, furniture for room, and conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$0 54	Salaries and wages . .	\$494 90
From beneficiaries . .	525 00	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	274 13	supplies	13 20
Income from investments .	863 75	Provisions and supplies .	474 32
		Heat, light, and power .	352 85
		Furnishings and incidental	
		repairs	72 25
		Telephone and water rates .	48 20
		Funeral expenses . . .	60 00
		Aged women's allowance .	36 50
		Total current expenses .	\$1,552 22
		Income invested	92 85
		Cash on hand	18 35
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	\$1,663 42		\$1,663 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$6,000; value of investments, \$22,628.93.

WALPOLE.

WALPOLE VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, Walpole. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending November 1, 1913.

Mrs. Charles S. Bird, *President*; Mrs. H. A. Spear, Jr., *Secretary*; Mrs. Winifred F. McCarthy, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Emma C. Newcomb, *Nurse*.

Care of the sick in their homes.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 296, viz., 126 paying, 86 partly paying, 84 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$856 97	Salaries and wages	\$937 50
From beneficiaries	251 30	Printing, postage, and office supplies	14 25
Subscriptions and donations	115 18	Telephone	18 92
Income from investments	6 87	Miscellaneous	19 50
Town appropriation	250 00	Total current expenses	\$990 17
Metropolitan Life Insurance	292 05	Cash on hand	782 20
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	\$1,772 37		\$1,772 37

WALTHAM.

FREE READING ROOM, INC., 321 Crescent St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Arthur A. Carey, *President*; John W. Alline, *Secretary*; Hugo B. Seikel, *Treasurer* and *Director*.

Industrial classes for women; mechanics' educational classes for men; reading room and library for men, women, and children; pool, gymnastics, and athletics; boys' club; visiting the sick; pastoral care and visiting; divine services, Sunday; kindergarten; entertainments, etc.

Number of paid officers or employees, 17.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Free reading room	\$321 58	Salaries and wages	\$13,118 48
Gymnasium	730 53	Sunday services	370 99
Swimming pool	1,158 65	Kindergarten	20 06
Assembly room	1,004 60	Library	163 40
Bulletin	60	Free reading room	2,099 61
Camp, by donations, entertainments, etc. . . .	1,251 18	Gymnasium	1,130 84
Boy scouts	28 18	Swimming pool	2,374 42
Sea scouts	38 80	Assembly room	527 69
Scout ship "Pioneer"	150 00	Bulletin	114 69
Salaries	839 35	Camp	1,161 33
Noon hour luncheon	140 72	Boy scouts	22 61
Donations	18,581 93	Sea scouts	260 33
		Scout ship "Pioneer"	2,008 96
		Playground	122 71
		Noon hour	150 00
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	\$23,646 12		\$23,646 12

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$100,000.

LELAND HOME FOR AGED WOMEN, 17 Newton St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1879.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

John L. Harvey, *President*; Helen L. Dalzelle, *Secretary*; R. Earl Eichler, *Treasurer*; Villa Hodsdon, *Matron*.

Home for women of American parentage, at least sixty-five years of age, without incurable disease, residents of Waltham for ten years. Admission fee, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 9.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$758 90	Salaries and wages . . .	\$772 31
From beneficiaries . . .	930 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	23 20 •
Subscriptions and donations . . .	165 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	602 41
Income from investments . . .	2,203 70	Heat, light, and power . . .	486 79
Miscellaneous	27 13	Furnishings and incidental repairs	202 57
		Telephone	80 30
		Water, etc. . . .	43 94
		Insurance	12 50
		Funeral expenses	96 22
		Miscellaneous	93 92
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,364 16
		Income invested	1,397 66
		Cash on hand	322 90
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	\$4,084 72		\$4,084 72

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$21,000; value of investments, \$54,512.01.

WALTHAM ANIMAL AID SOCIETY, Church St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending January 10, 1913.

Rev. J. P. MacCarthy, *President*; Mrs. Mary Wright Bryant, *Secretary and Matron*; Frederic P. Rutter, *Treasurer*.

Care of stray animals.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$157 86	Salaries and wages	\$129 50
From beneficiaries	53 40	Printing, postage, office sup- plies, provisions and sup- plies	51 21
Subscriptions and donations	60 33	Rent	53 00
Miscellaneous	580 72	Furnishings and incidental re- pairs	9 70
		Miscellaneous	235 17
		Total current expenses	\$478 58
		Cash on hand	373 73
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	\$852 31		\$852 31

THE WALTHAM BABY HOSPITAL, rear 755 Main St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1902.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. George E. Jordan, *President*; Mrs. Alice E. Fuller, *Secretary*; Mrs. Elizabeth J. Worcester, *Treasurer*.

To provide care for sick babies and also for babies who need it by reason of the sickness, death, or other incapacity of their parents.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 91, viz., 30 paying, 40 partly paying, 21 free; outside institution, 33, viz., 18 paying, 3 partly paying, 12 free; number of families aided, 27.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$265 74	Salaries and wages	\$1,315 42
From beneficiaries	1,580 47	Printing, postage, and office supplies	299 51
Subscriptions and donations	1,135 63	Provisions and supplies	1,181 67
Annuities and bequests to income	3,300 00	Heat, light, and power	525 11
Income from investments	197 21	Furnishings and incidental repairs	225 28
Entertainments	427 73	Miscellaneous	12 38
Miscellaneous	3 94	Total current expenses	\$3,559 37
		Income invested	3,340 00
		Cash on hand	11 35
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	\$6,910 72		\$6,910 72

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,500; value of investments, \$10,679.91.

WALTHAM DAY NURSERY ASSOCIATION, 96 School St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1912.)

Report for year ending October 28, 1913.

Mrs. Carolyn R. Yetten, *President*; Mrs. Nora Stanley Smiley, *Secretary*; Mrs. L. O. Dennison, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Laura Whitney, *Matron*.

For the assistance of mothers and the care and protection of children from twelve months old to the school age.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 16.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand April 15, 1913,		Salaries and wages . . .	\$206 95
at opening of nursery . .	\$356 90	Printing, postage, and office	
From beneficiaries . . .	100 80	supplies	46 36
Subscriptions and donations .	260 65	Rent	140 00
From rent of rooms . . .	52 75	Heat and light	13 48
Interest	1 61	Furnishings and incidental re-	
		pairs	53 48
		Charter	10 00
		Insurance	10 00
		Miscellaneous	2 00
		Total current expenses . .	\$511 65
		Cash on hand	261 06
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	\$772 71		\$772 71

WALTHAM DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION, Waltham. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Thomas Curley, *President*; Miss Alice E. Burnham, *Secretary*; Mrs. L. T. Burnham, *Treasurer*.

To provide the sick with visiting nurses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 770, viz., 510 paying, 76 partly paying, 184 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$11 54	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,199 15
From beneficiaries . . .	1,995 25	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations	491 00	supplies	29 50
Refunded for surgical ma-		Food and surgical material .	83 04
terial and car fares . . .	55 91	Car fares	112 30
		Total current expenses . .	\$2,423 99
		Cash on hand	129 71
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	\$2,553 70		\$2,553 70

WALTHAM GRADUATE NURSE ASSOCIATION, 716 Main St., Waltham. (Incorporated 1904.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Conrad Bell, *President*; Miss Mildred Pierce, *Secretary*; Miss Estelle G. Ferguson, *Treasurer*; Miss Bertha E. Currier, *Matron*.

For the purpose of advancing the study of the nursing profession,

providing facilities for its practice, and establishing a home for needy nurses.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$418 19	Salaries and wages . . .	\$937 85
Fees	948 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 80
Caps and telephone tolls	44 96	Rent	720 00
Rent of rooms (nurses)	1,609 70	Heat, light, and power	265 14
Interest on deposits	14 33	Furnishings and incidental repairs	96 36
Sale of beds	63 50	Telephone	103 08
Miscellaneous	118 24	Caps and laundry	82 71
		Magazines and flowers	31 50
		Gifts and refreshments	50 49
		Miscellaneous	139 09
		Total current expenses	\$2,439 02
		Cash on hand	777 90
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	\$3,216 92		\$3,216 92

WALTHAM HOSPITAL, Hope Ave., Waltham. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Arthur Lyman, *President*; Lillian A. Brewer, *Secretary*; Edwin F. Atkins, *Treasurer*; Janette M. Smith, *Matron*.

To care for the sick.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year in institution, 1,155, viz., 793 paying, 16 partly paying, 215 free, also 131 babies; number of out-patients, 401.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,601 23	Salaries and wages	\$10,123 15
From beneficiaries	29,558 93	Printing, postage, and office supplies	580 64
Subscriptions and donations	7,249 97	Provisions and supplies	15,554 00
Annuities and bequests to income	100 00	Rent	1,017 00
Income from investments	10,229 07	Heat, light, and power	5,267 74
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	2,838 64
Total current receipts	\$48,739 20	Medicines, drugs, and surgical supplies	3,696 00
Balance arising from estimated bills receivable and bills payable	1,064 45	Nursing service	5,036 32
		Interest	1,250 00
		Ambulance	405 50
		Ice	565 37
		Water	671 85
		Miscellaneous	2,513 34
		Total current expenses	\$49,519 55
		Cash on hand	284 10
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	\$49,803 65		\$49,803 65

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$136,842.09; amount of mortgage on same, \$25,000; value of investments, \$198,835.25.

WARE.

**WARE VISITING NURSE AND HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, 98 South St.,
Ware. (Incorporated 1909.)**

Report for year ending September 1, 1913.

Mrs. Henry O. Robinson, *President*; Mrs. G. F. A. Spencer, *Secretary*; Mrs. A. G. Blodgett, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary L. Whitney, *Superintendent*.

To give to the sick the best home nursing, and to establish and maintain a hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year in institution, 97, viz., 78 paying, 4 partly paying, 15 free; outside institution, 151, viz., 92 paying, 59 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,329 20	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,887 69
From beneficiaries . . .	1,953 26	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	106 17
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,880 05	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,205 28
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	25 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	407 63
Income from investments . . .	391 46	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	845 31
Sale of Red Cross stamps . . .	104 57	Heater . . .	235 00
		Interest . . .	105 18
		Telephone service . . .	62 55
		Insurance . . .	16 20
		Miscellaneous . . .	62 77
		Total current expenses . . .	\$6,933 78
		Cash on hand . . .	1,749 76
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	\$8,683 54		\$8,683 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,175; amount of mortgage on same, \$2,475; value of investments, \$6,374.36.

WATERTOWN.

**PERKINS INSTITUTION AND MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL FOR THE
BLIND, North Beacon St., Watertown. (Incorporated 1829.)**

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Hon. Francis Henry Appleton, *President*; Edward E. Allen, *Secretary and Director*; William Endicott, Jr., *Treasurer*.

The training of educable boys and girls of school age, without regard to color, nationality, or creed, who, on account of lack of sight, cannot obtain an education through the ordinary methods of the public schools.

Number of paid officers, teachers, and employees, 150.

Number aided during year in institution, 296, viz., 193 partly paying, 103 free; outside institution, 15, all free.

Dr.		Cr.	
Cash on hand	\$62,756 69	Salaries and wages . . .	\$70,083 87
From beneficiaries (private part-paying pupils)	900 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	2,093 92
Subscriptions and donations	6,156 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	30,915 69
Annuities and bequests to income	2,700 00	Tuning	1,969 44
Income from investments . .	100,420 32	Heat, light, and power . . .	14,626 55
Tuning	2,651 78	Furnishings and incidental repairs	10,583 83
State of Massachusetts appropriation	36,816 41	Commissions on sale of real estate	392 50
New England States, board and tuition	25,426 67	Maintenance and repairs on real estate	12,605 52
Legacies	62,342 16	Beneficiaries	1,070 00
Securities sold and matured	339,218 65	Teaching adult blind . . .	4,716 41
Sale of books and appliances	265 37	Construction account . . .	288,078 68
Miscellaneous	7,901 69	Miscellaneous	3,691 70
Total current receipts . .	\$647,555 74	Total current expenses . .	\$440,828 11
Real estate sold	22,220 08	Income invested	183,056 38
		Cash on hand	45,891 33
	\$669,775 82		\$669,775 82

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,197,794.34; value of investments, \$2,187,324.51.

SUNNY BANK HOME, 304 School St., Watertown. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Edward H. Mason, *President*; Talbot Aldrich, *Secretary*; Arthur F. Estabrook, *Treasurer*; William O. Mann, *Superintendent*.

Home for convalescent women and children; preferably for women and girls without homes and recovering from medical and surgical treatment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 169, viz., 14 paying, 50 partly paying, 105 free.

Dr.		Cr.	
From beneficiaries	\$1,560 11	Salaries and wages	\$1,847 93
Subscriptions and donations	125 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	4 46
Income from investments held by trustee	268 41	Provisions and supplies . . .	2,477 87
Total current receipts . .	\$1,953 52	Heat, light, and power . . .	410 37
Loans to income	3,133 05	Furnishings and incidental repairs	245 94
		Summer house	100 00
	\$5,086 57		\$5,086 57

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$20,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$2,160.

WATERTOWN ASSOCIATED CHARITIES, Watertown. (Incorporated 1897.)

Report for year ending January 17, 1913.

Mrs. John J. Meehan, *President*; Hiram McGlauffin, *Secretary*;
Mrs. Alice M. Silsbee, *Treasurer*.

To prevent pauperism.

Number aided during year, 30.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$16 95	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations . .	141 10	supplies	\$18 13
		Provisions and supplies . .	125 10
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		Total current expenses . .	\$143 23
		Cash on hand	14 82
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	\$158 05		\$158 05

WATERTOWN DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION, 20 Main St., Watertown. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Alice G. Abbott, *President*; Mrs. Sarah Vinal Keene, *Secretary*; Miss C. Belle Morse, *Treasurer*.

Providing for the sick and injured, especially those of limited means, the services of visiting trained nurses in their homes or elsewhere, and establishing a hospital for the care of the sick.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 422, viz., 351 paying, 21 partly paying, 50 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,145 44	Salaries and wages	\$1,728 55
From beneficiaries	1,103 40	Printing, postage, and office	
Subscriptions and donations . .	536 00	supplies	21 95
Interest on deposits	32 58	Supplies	23 43
		Rent	24 00
		Car fares	50 00
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		Total current expenses . .	\$1,847 93
		Cash on hand	969 49
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	\$2,817 42		\$2,817 42

WATERTOWN HOME FOR OLD FOLKS, Watertown. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Alberto F. Haynes, *President*; Edwin Stockin, *Secretary*; Harry W. Brigham, *Treasurer*.

Home not yet opened on account of insufficient income.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$813 85	Miscellaneous	\$544 16
Subscriptions and donations	5 00		
Income from investments	2,321 80	Total current expenses	\$544 16
Memberships	47 00	Income invested	1,655 47
		Cash on hand	988 02
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	\$3,187 65		\$3,187 65

Value of real estate owned, \$5,500; value of investments, \$31,020.

WELLESLEY.

THE CONVALESCENT HOME OF THE CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, Forest St., Wellesley Hills. (Incorporated 1884.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. George H. Monks, *President*; Mrs. Henry S. Hunnewell, *Secretary*; Mrs. Horatio G. Curtis, *Treasurer*; Sister Caroline, *Matron*.

To aid in carrying on the Children's Hospital in Boston, and to care for, relieve, and nurse patients from that hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 24.

Number aided during year, 648, viz., 35 paying, 82 partly paying, 531 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,904 66	Salaries and wages	\$8,928 73
From beneficiaries	4,225 39	Printing, postage, and office supplies	285 47
Subscriptions and donations	10,822 09	Provisions and supplies	8,872 50
Income from investments	11,484 82	Telephone	126 67
Sale of postal cards	10 00	Heat, light, and power	4,251 19
Payment of notes	10,000 00	Furnishings and incidental repairs	910 30
		Stable and carriage hire	911 86
		Water rates	552 24
		Teacher	422 42
		Supplies to Children's Hospital	3,452 87
		Miscellaneous	533 25
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		Total current expenses	\$29,247 50
		Amount invested	8,737 50
		Cash on hand	1,461 96
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	\$39,446 96		\$39,446 96

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$117,423.74; value of investments, \$245,850.45.

WELLESLEY FRIENDLY AID ASSOCIATION, Wellesley. (Incorporated 1909.)

Report for year ending January 1, 1913.

Mrs. Wm. C. Norcross, *President*; Miss Grace Sturtevant, *Secretary*; Mrs. Edward A. Perkins, *Treasurer*.

To promote the welfare of Wellesley in every practical way, and to co-operate with charitable societies, churches, individuals, and the town in the care of the poor, suffering, or unfortunate.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 149, viz., 62 paying, 87 partly paying; number of families aided, 25.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$675 30	Salaries and wages	\$985 00
Subscriptions and donations	1,065 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	38 95
Paying calls by nurse	309 50	Provisions and supplies	70 32
Interest on deposit	10 96	Miscellaneous	32 50
		Total current expenses	\$1,126 77
		Cash on hand	933 99
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	\$2,060 76		\$2,060 76

WESTFIELD.

NOBLE HOSPITAL, TRUSTEES OF, Silver St., Westfield. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Henry W. Ely, *President*; Mrs. Elizabeth E. Parker, *Secretary*; George E. Robinson, *Treasurer*; Miss Rachael A. MacMackin, *Superintendent*.

Care of the sick and injured.

Number of paid officers or employees, 25.

Number aided during year in institution, 636, viz., 628 paying, 8 free; outside institution, 91, all paying.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,354 36	Salaries and wages	\$7,090 65
From beneficiaries	16,387 84	Printing, postage, and office supplies	214 30
Subscriptions and donations	8,231 78	Provisions and supplies	9,080 15
Interest	840 88	Heat, light, and power	3,038 77
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,577 92
		Part payment of mortgage	1,000 00
		Interest	500 00
		Annuity	500 00
		Drugs, medical supplies, etc. . . .	2,402 30
		Miscellaneous	1,471 39
		Total current expenses	\$26,875 48
		Cash on hand	939 38
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	\$27,814 86		\$27,814 86

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$82,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$9,000.

THE SARAH GILLETT HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, 41 Broad St., Westfield. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Henry W. Ely, *President*; Mrs. J. A. Kenyon, *Secretary*; H. B. Moulton, *Treasurer*; Winifred N. Taison, *Matron*.

Boarding home for worthy aged persons; charges \$4 to \$7 per week.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 15.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$167 50	Salaries and wages	\$1,573 19
From beneficiaries	3,748 61	Printing, postage, and office supplies	219 47
Subscriptions and donations	100 00	Provisions and supplies	1,763 33
Annuities and bequests to income	50 00	Heat, light, and power	603 08
Income from investments	221 40	Furnishings and incidental repairs	752 49
Miscellaneous	14 04		
		Total current expenses	\$4,911 56
Total current receipts	\$4,301 55	Income invested	111 40
Loans to income	950 00	Cash on hand	228 59
	\$5,251 55		\$5,251 55

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$31,037.63; value of investments, \$4,367.33.

THE SHURTLEFF MISSION TO THE CHILDREN OF THE DESTITUTE, Franklin St., Westfield. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending January 10, 1913.

Harold P. Mosely, *President*; James H. Clark, *Secretary*; Loring P. Lane, *Treasurer*; M. E. Ingraham, *Superintendent*.

Care of children of the poor and destitute. (Boys and girls.)

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 26, viz., 14 paying, 9 partly paying, 3 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$3,390 83	Salaries and wages	\$951 29
From beneficiaries	549 00	Provisions and supplies	1,665 77
Subscriptions and donations	350 66	Heat, light, and power	190 00
Income from investments	1,114 41	Repairs on real estate	59 49
		Total current expenses	\$2,866 55
		Cash on hand	2,538 35
	\$5,404 90		\$5,404 90

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$7,000; value of investments, \$30,000.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF WESTFIELD, 105 Elm St., Westfield. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Harry L. Bradley, *President*; Charles T. Allen, *Secretary*; John C. Willian, *Treasurer*.

Improving the spiritual, mental, social, and physical condition of young men.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$17 37	Salaries and wages	\$2,274 77
Subscriptions and donations	2,049 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	259 25
Memberships	410 75	Heat, light, and power	1,032 94
Rents	1,309 80	Furnishings and incidental repairs	747 26
Notes payable	1,850 00	Interest	478 00
Miscellaneous	305 09	Insurance	117 50
		Taxes	202 46
		Miscellaneous	804 20
		Total current expenses	\$5,916 38
		Cash on hand	25 63
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	\$5,942 01		\$5,942 01

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$30,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$6,700.

WEYMOUTH.

WEYMOUTH HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION, Weymouth. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending March 1, 1913.

J. Herbert Libby, M.D., *President*; Edwin N. Mayberry, M.D., *Secretary*; George M. Hoyt, *Treasurer*.

Not yet open.

Value of investments, \$1,661.90.

WINCHENDON.

THE WINCHENDON HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE, Winchendon. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending May 1, 1913.

Ransom D. Crain, *President*; Mrs. Flora A. Miller, *Secretary*; Alfred G. Parker, *Treasurer*.

To establish and maintain a home for aged persons who are not paupers, but yet have no relatives able to care for them.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$2,573 96	Income invested . . .	\$2,691 05
Income from investments . .	117 09		
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WINCHESTER.

**HOME FOR AGED PEOPLE IN WINCHESTER, 2 Kendall St., Winchester.
(Incorporated 1894.)**

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Preston Pond, *President*; Charles F. Dutch, *Secretary*; Harry C. Sanborn, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Frances E. Whitford, *Matron*.

Home for men and women, sixty years of age, residents of Winchester for five years. Admission, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 6.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$436 78	Salaries and wages . . .	\$673 57
From beneficiaries (admission fees) . . .	400 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	50 35
Subscriptions and donations . .	348 00	Provisions and supplies . .	652 82
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	7,500 00	Heat and janitor . . .	275 00
Income from investments . .	661 66	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	64 70
Dues (corporation) . .	497 00	Insurance . . .	12 07
Dinners contributed . .	329 00	Funeral expenses . . .	241 64
Pension check . . .	144 00	Nurse . . .	27 00
		Gas and telephone . . .	42 07
		Miscellaneous . . .	172 88
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		Total current expenses . .	\$2,212 10
		Income invested (legacy) . .	7,500 00
		Cash on hand . . .	604 34
	<hr/> \$10,316 44		<hr/> \$10,316 44

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$4,500; value of investments, \$21,704.82.

WINCHESTER VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION, WINCHESTER HOSPITAL, 319 Washington St., Winchester. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

Mrs. Ellen E. Metcalf, *President*; Mrs. Annie B. Gilman, *Secretary*; Miss M. Alice Mason, *Treasurer*; Miss Grace W. Cushing, *Superintendent*.

Giving to the sick and especially to those of limited means the best home nursing under existing circumstances, and establishing and maintaining a hospital.

Number of paid officers or employees, 14.

Number aided during the year in institution, 333, viz., 301 paying, 3 partly paying, 29 free; outside institution, 460, viz., 122 paying, 201 partly paying, 137 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$13,255 77	Salaries and wages . . .	\$5,995 55
From beneficiaries . . .	7,008 89	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	302 45
Subscriptions and donations . . .	5,347 30	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,467 89
Interest on deposits . . .	334 37	Rent . . .	1,456 00
Membership fees . . .	1,158 00	Heat, light, water, and telephone . . .	978 31
Miscellaneous . . .	12 20	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	1,479 03
		Transferred to hospital fund . . .	1,500 00
		Surgical and medical supplies . . .	1,170 50
		Hospital care for patients . . .	280 89
		Traveling expenses . . .	87 85
		Insurance . . .	30 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	75 86
		Total current expenses . . .	\$16,824 33
		Cash on hand . . .	10,292 20
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	\$27,116 53		\$27,116 53

WOBURN.

HOME FOR AGED WOMEN IN WOBURN, 74 Elm St., Woburn. (Incorporated 1887.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. Mary F. M. Partridge, *President*; Mrs. Augusta F. Goold, *Secretary*; Mrs. Nena D. Gage, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Eleanora S. Cowdrey, *Matron*.

Home for worthy Protestant women over sixty-five years of age, residents of Woburn for ten years. Admission, \$200 and furniture for room.

Number of paid officers or employees, 3.

Number aided during year, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$1,795 87	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,117 90
Subscriptions and donations . . .	221 85	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	3 65
Income from investments . . .	2,410 10	Provisions and supplies . . .	937 74
		Heat, light, and power . . .	518 67
		Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	132 85
		Total current expenses . . .	\$2,710 81
		Cash on hand . . .	1,717 01
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	\$4,427 82		\$4,427 82

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,000; value of investments, \$65,157.77.

WINNING HOME, Lexington St., Woburn. (Incorporated 1901.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

John W. Johnson, *President*; John L. Ayer, *Secretary*; Daniel W. Pratt, *Treasurer*.

Eventually for a permanent or temporary home for orphans or other destitute children; at present used as a vacation home in conjunction with South End House and Boston Dispensary.

Number of paid officers or employees, 6.

Number aided during year, 223, viz., 49 paying, 150 partly paying, 24 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$383 57	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,062 45
From beneficiaries . . .	700 15	Printing, postage, and office supplies	153 96
Subscriptions and donations . . .	482 00	Provisions and supplies . . .	949 43
Income from investments . . .	1,353 88	Heat, light, and power . . .	50 22
South End House . . .	495 29	Furnishings and incidental repairs	859 38
Boston Dispensary . . .	482 04	Insurance	87 00
Farm products . . .	2,624 51	Car fares	48 56
Sale of cows . . .	240 00	Laundry	65 11
<hr/>		Farm expenditures	1,294 43
Total current receipts . . .	\$6,761 44	Purchase of cows	412 50
Withdrawn from savings bank	700 00	Miscellaneous	191 01
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\$7,461 44		Total current expenses . . .	\$6,174 05
		Interest added to savings bank	485 57
		Cash on hand	801 82
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		\$7,461 44	

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$12,000; value of investments, \$29,784.94.

WOBURN CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION, Warren Ave., Woburn. (Incorporated 1908.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Elmer E. Silver, *President*; Samuel W. Mendum, *Secretary*; Carl W. Jaquith, *Treasurer*; Miss Grace B. Hinckley, R.N., *Superintendent*.

Maintaining Charles Choate Memorial Hospital and other charities.

Number of paid officers or employees, 19.

Number aided during year, 237.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$5,211 78	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,266 29
From beneficiaries . . .	8,254 51	Printing, postage, and office supplies	394 90
Subscriptions and donations . . .	1,832 79	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,268 52
Annuities and bequests to income	115 34	Heat, light, and power . . .	911 23
Income from investments . . .	243 68	Furnishings and incidental repairs	372 27
Miscellaneous	9 65	Miscellaneous	134 82
		Total current expenses . . .	\$9,348 03
		Income invested	6,070 42
		Cash on hand	249 30
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	\$15,667 75		\$15,667 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$45,387.02; value of investments, \$8,716.84.

WOBURN HOME FOR AGED COUPLES, Woburn. (Incorporated 1907.)

Not yet in operation.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF WOBURN, Woburn. (Incorporated 1889.)

C. Bertrand Strout, *President*; George W. Smith, *Clerk*; Thomas Hertz, *Treasurer*.

Association not yet engaged in active work.

Value of investments, \$10,837.64.

WORCESTER.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES OF WORCESTER,^f 35 Pearl St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for year ending September 28, 1913.

Charles L. Nichols, M.D., *President*; George H. Haynes, *Secretary*; Charles H. Derby, *Treasurer*; Miriam F. Witherspoon, *General Secretary*.

To promote cordial co-operation on the part of the various charitable agencies of Worcester in the relief of the needy; to expose fraud and imposture; to prevent begging and the spread of pauperism.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number of families dealt with during year, 486.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$128 17	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,259 96
Memberships	338 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	491 40
Subscriptions and donations	2,227 27	Provisions and supplies . . .	619 98
Income from investments	2,020 36	Rent	395 04
Fees for investigation	10 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	1 56
Miscellaneous	2 35	Typewriter	50 00
		Miscellaneous	70 00
Total current receipts	\$4,726 15		
Loans to income	225 00	Total current expenses . . .	\$4,887 94
		Cash on hand	63 21
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	\$4,951 15		\$4,951 15

Value of investments, \$38,212.50.

ASSOCIATION OF SISTERS OF OUR LADY OF MERCY, 46 High St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending February 28, 1913.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Margaret A. Dowling, *Secretary*; Frances E. Gerould, *Treasurer* and *Mother Superior*.

To care for the aged and infirm, and homeless and neglected children; to assist women out of employment.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year in institution, 247, viz., 99 paying, 132 partly paying, 16 free; outside institution, 28, all free; number of families aided, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$619 14	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,095 17
From beneficiaries	9,784 24	Printing, postage, and office supplies	55 68
Subscriptions and donations	5,993 14	Provisions and supplies . . .	7,448 12
Annuities and bequests to income	3,140 58	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,318 71
Work of Sisters	2,439 90	Furnishings and incidental repairs	3,554 26
Interest on bank deposit	106 34	Freight, express, and cartage	10 44
Sale of articles	549 07	Deposited in building fund . . .	7,230 00
Miscellaneous	30 25	Traveling expenses	42 80
		Water	99 18
		Taxes, medicine, and insurance	199 82
		Miscellaneous	121 50
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$21,175 68
		Cash on hand	1,486 98
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	\$22,662 66		\$22,662 66

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$101,800.

DOOR OF HOPE SOCIETY, 15 Salem St.,¹ Worcester. (Incorporated 1903.)

Report for eleven months ending December 31, 1912.

Mrs. E. L. Barnard, *President*; Mrs. W. F. Cole, *Secretary*; Mrs. H. L. McClusky, *Treasurer*; Miss Mary Gaines, *Superintendent*.

Provides temporary home for young women who have been led astray or who are subject to special temptation; receives such from hospitals, with their infants, and helps them to find employment. No admission fee.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 58, viz., 2 partly paying, 56 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$253 54	Salaries and wages . . .	\$245 00
From beneficiaries . . .	14 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	10 75
Subscriptions and donations . . .	894 75	Provisions and supplies . . .	320 00
Annuities and bequests to income	400 00	Rent	420 00
Food sale	192 00	Coal	76 63
Concert	65 00	Insurance	7 50
		Emergency fund	66 00
		Miscellaneous	55 11
		Total current expenses . . .	\$1,200 99
		Income invested	400 00
		Cash on hand	218 30
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	\$1,819 29		\$1,819 29

THE HOME FOR AGED MEN IN WORCESTER, 1199 Main St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1874.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Francis H. Dewey, *President*; Roger F. Upham, *Secretary*; Edward T. Esty, *Treasurer*; Mary A. Cunningham, *Matron*.

A home for men at least sixty years of age, residents of Worcester for ten years or more. Admission, \$200.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 10.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$97 70	Board of inmates	\$1,676 00
Admission fee	200 00	Heat, light, and telephone . . .	749 55
Bequests and donations	1,905 60	Furnishings, supplies, and incidental repairs . . .	454 75
Income from investments	6,530 32	Nursing and funerals	204 65
Miscellaneous	12 57	Allowances to inmates	62 38
		Miscellaneous	433 78
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,581 11
		Income invested	5,128 06
		Cash on hand	37 02
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	\$8,746 19		\$8,746 19

¹ Address after May 1, 1913, 5 Dudley Pl.

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$15,000; value of investments, \$140,051.68.

HOME FOR AGED WOMEN IN THE CITY OF WORCESTER, TRUSTEES OF, 1181 Main St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1869.)

Report for year ending January 27, 1913.

George C. Whitney, *President*; William Woodward, *Secretary* and *Treasurer*; Mrs. Nettie C. Livermore, *Matron*.

Home for unmarried women at least sixty-five years of age. Preference given to residents of Worcester of American birth. Admission, \$250.

Number of paid officers or employees, 11.

Number aided during year, 30, viz., 10 partly paying, 20 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$8,031 39	Salaries and wages . . .	\$4,546 78
From beneficiaries . . .	2,320 54	Printing, postage and office supplies . . .	17 00
Subscriptions and donations . . .	53 45	Provisions and supplies . . .	3,205 82
Annuities and bequests . . .	5,687 52	Heat, light, and power . . .	1,739 21
Income from investments . . .	8,589 04	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	366 40
Sale of securities . . .	6,364 00	City water . . .	127 31
Miscellaneous . . .	77 43	Insurance . . .	40 00
		Miscellaneous . . .	654 60
		Total current expenses . . .	\$10,697 12
		Income invested . . .	16,482 33
		Cash on hand . . .	3,943 92
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	\$31,123 37		\$31,123 37

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$48,000; value of investments, \$180,502.61.

HOME ASSOCIATION FOR AGED COLORED PEOPLE, 10 Liberty St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Mrs. Minnie Lee, *President*; Miss Mattie E. Storms, *Secretary*; Mrs. Mary Bowman, *Treasurer*; Miss Sarah Mason, *Matron*.

Home for aged colored persons.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 7.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$372 28	Salaries and wages	\$103 00
From beneficiaries	349 75	Printing, postage, and office supplies	50
Subscriptions and donations	107 45	Provisions and supplies	174 84
Income from investments	32 00	Heat, light, and power	32 84
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	27 04
		Interest on mortgage	180 00
		Miscellaneous	34 05
		Total current expenses	\$552 27
		Cash on hand	309 21
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	\$861 48		\$861 48

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$2,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$870.56.

**LITTLE FRANCISCAN SISTERS OF MARY, 37 Thorne St., Worcester.
(Incorporated 1890.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Sister Marie des Sept Douleurs, *President, Treasurer, and Superioress*; Sister Marie Alphonse de Lignori, *Secretary*.

Care of poor and destitute persons at least sixty years of age, without distinction of nationality, creed, or physical condition. Payment: in wards, \$10 a month, for life, \$500; in private room, \$15 a month, for life, \$1,000.

Number of paid officers or employees, 36.

Number aided during year, 219, viz., 127 paying, 30 partly paying, 62 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,415 75	Salaries and wages	\$2,934 97
From beneficiaries	13,732 14	Printing, postage, and office supplies	197 58
Subscriptions and donations	2,093 62	Provisions and supplies	8,730 63
Bequests	1,750 00	Account on principal and interest on mortgage	2,680 65
Tag day	1,618 87	Heat, light, and power	1,621 97
Rummage sale	84 50	Furnishings and incidental repairs	1,185 11
Sisters' work	1,107 87	Telephone, medicine, doctors, and lawyers	420 18
St. Francis Aid Association	1,022 00	Water, taxes, insurance on buildings	724 91
Life maintenance	4,960 00	Money remitted	1,354 64
Interest	43 04	Sidewalks, ice, and horse maintenance	836 71
Miscellaneous	465 27	House furnishings	1,372 57
		Miscellaneous	875 14
		Total current expenses	\$22,935 06
		Cash on hand	6,358 00
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	\$29,293 06		\$29,293 06

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$80,227.64; amount of mortgage on same, \$23,000; value of investments, \$1,200.

THE MEMORIAL HOME FOR THE BLIND, 81 Elm St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1905.)

Report for year ending April 22, 1913.

Dr. John C. Berry, *President*; Mrs. E. H. Fowler, *Secretary*; William Woodward, *Treasurer*; Miss A. M. Anderson, *Matron*.

To provide a home for the aged indigent blind.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

Number aided during year, 14, viz., 12 partly paying, 2 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$716 86	Salaries and wages . . .	\$1,306 75
From beneficiaries . . .	2,164 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	36 37
Subscriptions and donations . . .	900 29	Provisions and supplies . . .	1,465 35
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	700 00	Heat, light, and power . . .	463 63
Income from investments . . .	381 76	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	469 13
Receipts from sales . . .	126 12	City water . . .	34 36
Receipts from lecture . . .	172 00	Insurance . . .	7 50
Miscellaneous . . .	8 67	Miscellaneous . . .	203 49
		Total current expenses . . .	\$3,976 58
		Income invested . . .	300 00
		Cash on hand . . .	893 12
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	\$5,169 70		\$5,169 70

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$9,500; value of investments, \$17,319.01.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, Belmont St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1871.)

Report for year ending November 30, 1913.

Leonard Wheeler, *President*; T. Hovey Gage, *Secretary*; Alexander DeWitt, *Treasurer*; Lucia L. Jaquith, *Superintendent*.

Hospital for women and children.

Number of paid officers or employees, 126.

Number aided during year in institution, 3,086, viz., 1,480 paying, 553 partly paying, 1,053 free; outside institution, 2,057.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$7,860 52	Salaries and wages . .	\$29,563 62
Subscriptions and donations	1,339 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,740 36
Income from investments	23,471 17	Provisions and supplies	46,870 47
National bank tax rebate	1,633 58	Heat, light, and power	9,542 35
Hospital earnings	54,149 49	Repairs and maintenance	3,859 86
		Telephone and telegraph	776 72
Total current receipts	88,453 76	Insurance	1,467 50
Bequests restricted to capital	26,180 41	Improvements on land and buildings	1,107 77
Donations restricted to capital	2,000 00	New equipment	1,454 00
Sale of securities	25,478 93	Total current expenses	\$96,382 65
Sale of real estate and equipment	150 00	Invested	42,167 65
		Cash on hand	3,712 80
	<u>\$142,263 10</u>		<u>\$142,263 10</u>

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$386,372.10; value of investments, \$418,492.

NORTH WORCESTER AID SOCIETY, 67 Holden St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1886.)

Report for year ending June 12, 1913.

John P. Kingston, *President*; Mrs. Lizzie H. Bryant, *Secretary*; Mrs. Emma M. Davis, *Treasurer*.

Charitable, religious, educational, and social purposes. Members have a sewing circle where articles are made and given to the needy or sold at fairs.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$99 15	Heat, light, and repairs	\$39 84
Dues	18 00	Charitable societies	97 45
Entertainments	71 16	Flowers	6 25
Articles sold	10 30		
		Total current expenses	\$143 54
		Cash on hand	55 07
	<u>\$198 61</u>		<u>\$198 61</u>

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,600.

ODD FELLOWS' HOME OF MASSACHUSETTS, Randolph Rd., Worcester. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending July 20, 1913.

John J. Whipple, *President*; George H. Fuller, *Secretary*; Alfred C. Pinkerton, *Treasurer*; Herbert B. and Sarah E. Belcher, *Superintendent and Matron*.

To provide a home for aged and indigent Odd Fellows of Massachusetts, their wives, widows, and orphans. Requires five years' previous membership in Grand Lodge; no admission, but conveyance of property to Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, about 20.

Number aided during year, 101.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$14,986 16	Salaries and wages . .	\$7,715 52
Interest	531 02	Printing, postage, and office supplies	102 81
Per capita tax on Massachusetts membership	23,663 30	Provisions and supplies . .	6,674 16
		Heat, light, and power . .	4,179 36
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	757 26
		Repair work on building . .	1,164 63
		Insurance	202 50
		Laundry	1,232 18
		Wearing apparel	518 91
		Bond	270 00
		Medicines	856 69
		Expense of trustees . . .	271 03
		Farm, stock	890 80
		Miscellaneous	329 54
		Total current expenses . .	\$25,165 39
		Cash on hand	10,014 79
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	\$39,180 18		\$39,180 18

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$150,000; value of investments, \$100,345.38.

SAINT ANNE'S FRENCH CANADIAN ORPHANAGE, 61 Granite St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1891.)

Report for year ending August 31, 1913.

Sister A. Lefebore, *President* and *Secretary*; Sister Carriere, *Treasurer*; Sister St. J. Baptiste, *Superior*.

Care of orphans of both sexes without regard to nationality or creed.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$44 74	Salaries and wages . .	\$1,880 12
From beneficiaries and sale of small house products	673 49	Printing, postage, and office supplies	126 08
Subscriptions and donations	3,108 40	Provisions and supplies . .	5,154 38
From board of orphans	14,612 10	Heat, light, and power . .	2,274 60
Sale of stone, etc., from farm	836 38	Furnishings and incidental repairs	6,099 48
		Pharmacy and water . . .	186 20
		Merchandise, etc.	511 82
		Animals and food	799 93
		Interest	1,475 19
		Assurances	562 50
		Miscellaneous	11 45
		Total current expenses . .	\$19,081 75
		Cash on hand	93 36
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	\$19,175 11		\$19,175 11

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$49,900; amount of mortgage on same, \$17,000.

ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL OF WORCESTER, MASS., corner of Winthrop and Vernon Sts., Worcester. (Incorporated 1898.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Rt. Rev. Thomas D. Beaven, D.D., *President*; Mother Mary of Providence, *Treasurer*; Sister Mary Isidore, *Secretary* and *Superintendent*.

Hospital care of the sick. The aged and infirm of both sexes are cared for on the premises in a building known as St. Vincent's Home.

Number of paid officers or employees, 26.

Number aided during year, 1,989, viz., 1,709 paying, 117 partly paying, 163 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$199 81	Salaries and wages . . .	\$9,406 18
From beneficiaries . . .	58,482 84	Printing, postage, and office supplies . . .	831 17
Subscriptions and donations . . .	9,957 96	Provisions and supplies . . .	27,892 70
Annuities and bequests to income . . .	1,575 53	Heat, light, and power . . .	5,631 50
Income from investments . . .	140 78	Furnishings and incidental repairs . . .	6,950 49
Miscellaneous . . .	313 25	Interest . . .	2,263 00
		Paid on mortgage . . .	17,500 00
		Total current expenses . . .	\$70,475 04
		Cash on hand . . .	145 13
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	\$70,620 17		\$70,620 17

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$143,400; amount of mortgage on same, \$42,500.

TEMPORARY HOME AND DAY NURSERY SOCIETY, 10 Edward St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1892.)

Report for year ending October 18, 1913.

Mrs. Charles L. Gates, *President*; Mrs. Edward Comins, *Secretary*; Mrs. Ernest P. Bennett, *Treasurer*; Miss Cora Esten, *Superintendent*.

Maintains a day nursery and a home where needy women and children may receive temporary care.

Number of paid officers or employees, 8.

Number aided during year in Home, 148, viz., 11 paying, 23 partly paying, 114 free; in nurseries, 203, viz., 186 paying, 10 partly paying, 7 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$176 34	Salaries and wages . . .	\$3,088 97
From beneficiaries . . .	3,050 00	Provisions and supplies . .	1,570 02
Subscriptions and donations	3,280 96	Rent	33 00
Income from investments . .	1,489 06	Heat, light, and power . .	659 42
Fees, etc.	874 64	Furnishings and incidental	
From sale	513 75	repairs	218 93
		Insurance	175 89
		Water	87 24
		Telephone	47 29
		Miscellaneous	136 33
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,017 09
		Income invested	3,050 00
		Cash on hand	317 66
	\$9,384 75		\$9,384 75

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$48,028; value of investments, \$32,180.71.

WORCESTER BOYS' CLUB, 100 Portland St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1893.)

Report for year ending June 1, 1913.

Reginald Washburn, *President*; Mrs. Charles M. Thayer, *Secretary*; Ernest G. Adams, *Treasurer*; David W. Armstrong, *Superintendent*.

To provide and maintain rooms for the improvement of the moral, physical, intellectual, and social nature of boys.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16 (14 part time).

Number aided during year, 966.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$583 45	Salaries and wages	\$2,501 43
Subscriptions and donations	3,983 84	Printing, postage, and office	
Income from investments . .	1,065 64	supplies	272 92
Membership fees	177 90	Heat, light, and power . .	465 24
Sale of securities	1,990 00	Furnishings and incidental	
Miscellaneous	78 00	repairs	207 09
		Industrial classes	1,743 94
Total current receipts . .	\$7,878 83	Equipment	374 07
Loans to income	19,400 00	Miscellaneous	761 98
		Total current expenses . .	\$6,426 67
		Invested in real estate for	
		new building	20,200 00
		Cash on hand	652 16
	\$27,278 83		\$27,278 83

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$24,391.23; amount of mortgage on same, \$10,000; value of investments, \$31,650.

WORCESTER CHILDREN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, 390 Main St., Worcester.
(Incorporated 1849.)

Report for year ending December 15, 1912.

Mrs. Francis B. Knowles, *President*; Mrs. Edmund M. Barton, *Secretary*; Daniel W. Lincoln, *Treasurer*; Miss Helen A. Woods, *General Secretary*.

To care for needy children through a Bureau of Information and Counsel and a placing-out department.

Number of paid officers or employees, 4.

Number aided during year, 186, viz., 142 paying, 20 partly paying, 24 free; number of families aided, 277.

Monthly average number of children under supervision in foster homes, 108. Number of placing-out visitors, 3.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,757 76	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,457 40
From beneficiaries . . .	4,656 65	Printing, postage, and office supplies	404 15
Subscriptions and donations . . .	3,274 66	Provisions and supplies . . .	11,545 31
Income from investments . . .	7,471 26	Rent	615 00
Miscellaneous	36 69	Heat, light, and power . . .	8 26
<hr/>		Furnishings and incidental repairs	37 00
Total current receipts . . .	\$18,197 02	Travel	290 22
Loans to income	287 00	Sundry other administrative expenses	273 57
<hr/>		Medical and dental expenses	72 63
		Miscellaneous	248 91
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		Total current expenses . . .	\$15,952 45
		Cash on hand	2,531 57
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	\$18,484 02		\$18,484 02

Value of investments, \$169,086.04.

THE WORCESTER EMPLOYMENT SOCIETY, 36 Pearl St., Worcester.
(Incorporated 1883.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Mrs. Frank F. Dresser, *President*; Mrs. Leonard P. Kinnicutt, *Secretary*; Miss Maud E. Chase, *Treasurer*; Louisa M. Pierce, *Agent*.

For the purpose of assisting needy and deserving women by giving them employment (sewing) and otherwise aiding them.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Sewing given to 94 women.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$773 62	Salaries and wages	\$748 61
Subscriptions and donations	1,648 68	Printing, postage, and office supplies	100 09
Income from investments	1,911 87	Sewing materials	119 91
Articles sold and rented	267 08	Rent	420 00
Christmas sale	715 66	Light	8 83
Interest	17 72	Paid sewing women for their work	3,646 00
Miscellaneous	12 57	Insurance	14 38
		Advertising, safe deposit box	51 69
Total current receipts	\$5,347 20	Miscellaneous	14 66
Loans to income	300 00		
		Total current expenses	\$5,124 17
		Cash on hand	523 03
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	\$5,647 20		\$5,647 20

Value of investments, \$46,361.79.

WORCESTER HAHNEMANN HOSPITAL, 281 Lincoln St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1896.)

Report for year ending May 31, 1913.

John K. Warren, *President*; Edward B. Miles, *Secretary*;
George A. Slocomb, *Treasurer*; Suzanne M. Freeman, *Superintendent*.

Surgical and medical care of the sick.

Number of paid officers or employees, 16.

Number aided during year, 298, viz., 291 paying, 7 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,018 33	Salaries and wages	\$3,809 49
From beneficiaries	10,515 31	Printing, postage, and office supplies	44 73
Subscriptions and donations	15 00	Provisions and supplies	3,329 74
Income from investments	300 08	Insurance	123 03
Pledges	100 00	Heat, light, and power	1,604 96
Interest	21 20	Furnishings and incidental repairs	172 18
Miscellaneous	11 50	Laundry	733 78
		Surgical supplies	488 46
		Interest on note	100 00
		Drugs and medicines	397 76
		Miscellaneous	840 65
		Total current expenses	\$11,644 78
		Cash on hand	336 64
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	\$11,981 42		\$11,981 42

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$75,000; value of investments, \$8,500.

WORCESTER HEBREW GMILED CHASED SOCIETY, 96 Water St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1900.)

Report for year ending September 30, 1913.

Harris Shapiro, *President*; Henry W. Dephoure, *Secretary*; Hyman Baker, *Treasurer*.

To lend money without interest to Hebrews, members and non-members. Members pay five cents per week and are of the Hebrew race only.

Number of paid officers or employees, 1.

Number aided during year, 47, viz., 12 paying, 15 partly paying, 20 free.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$224 75	Salaries and wages	\$25 00
Dues	16 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1 75
Persons aided	235 00	Money outstanding in loans	160 00
		Total current expenses	\$186 75
		Cash on hand	289 10
	<hr/> \$475 85		<hr/> \$475 85

WORCESTER HOME FOR CONSUMPTIVES CORPORATION, Worcester. (Incorporated 1906.)

Report for year ending October 1, 1913.

John K. Warren, *President*; Frank B. Hall, *Secretary*; George F. Brooks, 320 Park Avenue, Worcester, *Treasurer*.

To care for consumptives who cannot pay for proper treatment at home or in hospitals.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,405 87	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$2 00
Interest	26 12	Provisions and supplies	564 02
		Rent	233 80
		Heat, light, and power	42 13
		Nurse	21 00
		Board	38 75
		Car fares	13 92
		Dinners	149 56
		Total current expenses ¹	\$1,065 18
		Cash on hand	366 81
	<hr/> \$1,431 99		<hr/> \$1,431 99

WORCESTER SOCIETY FOR DISTRICT NURSING, 27 Elm St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1899.)

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Miss Harriet E. Clarke, *President*; Mrs. Henry J. Gross, *Secretary*; Mrs. Homer Gage, *Treasurer*; Miss Rosabelle Jacobus, *Superintendent*.

¹ All the money except \$2 was paid through the Worcester Society for District Nursing.

The care and instruction of the sick poor in their homes. Whenever a patient can pay, a charge of from five cents upward is made.

Number of paid officers or employees, 12.

Number aided during year, 2,883, viz., 845 paying, 2,038 free.

Number of families aided, 1,860.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand . . .	\$4 52	Salaries and wages . .	\$7,767 59
From beneficiaries . .	955 51	Printing, postage, and car fare	616 30
Subscriptions and donations	3,278 91	Provisions and supplies . .	779 31
Annuities and bequests to income	4,693 40	Rent	216 00
Income from investments . .	2,502 78	Good Samaritan expenses . .	43 50
Metropolitan Life Insurance Company	3,702 25	General expenses . . .	655 19
From articles loaned . .	145 37	Nurses' expenses . . .	200 19
		Medical and surgical sup- plies	307 45
		Total current expenses . .	\$10,585 53
		Income invested	4,693 40
		Cash on hand	3 81
	<hr/> \$15,282 74		<hr/> \$15,282 74

Value of investments, \$43,473.82.

**WORCESTER SWEDISH CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION, 21 Thomas St.,
Worcester. (Incorporated 1904.)**

Report for year ending February 16, 1913.

Gerhard Becker, *President*; Carl A. Carlson, *Secretary*; Nels A. Pearson, *Treasurer*.

To help needy people of Swedish birth.

Number aided during year, 18, viz., 3 partly paying, 15 free; families aided, 50.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,016 10	Printing, postage, and office supplies	\$75 00
Subscriptions and donations	1,941 10	Provisions and supplies . .	2,437 23
Concerts	192 60	Rent	15 00
Shield day (tag day) . .	2,089 00	Shield day expenses . . .	345 00
Miscellaneous	10 63	Commission to collectors . .	297 00
		Miscellaneous	31 17
		To building fund	527 50
		Total current expenses . .	\$3,727 95
		Cash on hand	1,521 48
	<hr/> \$5,249 43		<hr/> \$5,249 43

**WORCESTER TUBERCULOSIS RELIEF ASSOCIATION, 27 Elm St.,
Worcester. (Incorporated 1907.)**

Report for year ending December 31, 1912.

Albert C. Getchell, *President*; Myrtle Smith, *Secretary*; Edgar L. Ramsdell, *Treasurer*.

To prevent the spread of pulmonary tuberculosis in our city.

Number of paid officers or employees, 2.

Number aided during year, 200.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$1,053 24	Salaries and wages	\$965 00
Subscriptions and donations	189 00	Printing, postage, and office supplies	12 25
Income from investments	228 17	Provisions and supplies	543 45
Russell entertainment	440 45	Car fares	102 55
Miscellaneous	29 43	Miscellaneous	75 55
		Total current expenses	\$1,698 80
		Cash on hand	431 39
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	\$2,130 19		\$2,130 19

Value of investments, \$4,380.25.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, Elm and Pearl Sts., Worcester. (Incorporated 1868.)

Report for year ending March 31, 1913.

C. W. Hobbs, *President*; John W. Higgins, *Secretary*; W. K. Stanley, *Treasurer*.

To improve the spiritual, intellectual, social, and physical condition of young men.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$2,481 68	Salaries and wages	\$15,151 26
From members	9,455 23	Printing, postage, and office supplies	1,904 18
Subscriptions	8,160 74	Heat and light	3,010 34
Income from investment	686 46	Furnishings and incidental repairs	17,054 19
Receipts	9,143 16	Deficit on notes owed but not paid	11,550 00
Legacies	5,057 53		
Rents, dormitories	8,956 62	Total current expenses	\$48,669 97
		Cash on hand	746 67
Total current receipts	\$43,941 42		<hr/>
Deficit	5,475 22		\$49,416 64
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	\$49,416 64		

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$209,000; amount of mortgage on same, \$30,000; value of investments, \$13,875; value of investments held by trustees, \$227,932.53.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION, 10 Chatham St., Worcester. (Incorporated 1885.)

Report for year ending April 30, 1913.

Mrs. Frank L. Durkee, *President*; Mrs. Howard D. Brewer, *Secretary*; Mrs. Frank A. Drury, *Treasurer*; Mrs. Mary A. Severance, *Matron*.

To promote the temporal, moral, and religious welfare of women, especially young women, who are dependent upon their own exertions for support.

Number of paid officers or employees, 5.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$733 80	Salaries and wages . . .	\$2,926 18
Subscriptions and donations	7,696 14	Printing, postage, and office supplies	302 23
Annuities and bequests to income	3,557 53	Heat, light, and power . .	1,963 87
Income from investments . .	1,092 80	Furnishings and incidental repairs	18 60
Income from departments . .	26,807 02	Interest on mortgage . . .	660 00
Sale of bonds	2,002 78	Department expenses . . .	26,558 57
Sale of rights	98 00	Fire insurance	539 68
Miscellaneous	811 99	Payment on loan	2,000 00
		Miscellaneous	959 05
Total current receipts . .	\$42,800 06		
Loans to income	4,000 00	Total current expenses . .	\$35,928 18
		Income invested	5,957 73
		Cash on hand	4,914 15
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	\$46,800 06		\$46,800 06

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$115,600; amount of mortgage on same, \$16,500; value of investments, \$28,837.19.

YARMOUTH.

FRIDAY CLUB, Main St., Yarmouth. (Incorporated 1911.)

Report for year ending July 12, 1913.

Marietta S. Matthews, *President*; Mary A. Knowles, *Secretary*; Sarah W. Thacher, *Treasurer*.

Dispensation of charity among the needy citizens of Yarmouth.

Number aided during year, 12.

<i>Dr.</i>		<i>Cr.</i>	
Cash on hand	\$72 72	Labor	\$7 25
Subscriptions and donations . .	739 82	Printing and postage . . .	3 93
		Provisions and supplies . .	63 05
		Furnishings and incidental repairs	341 91
		Gifts and charity	65 85
		Cook books (to sell) . . .	125 00
		On debt	50 00
		Miscellaneous	41 30
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		Total current expenses . .	\$698 29
		Cash on hand	114 25
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	\$812 54		\$812 54

Value of real estate owned and occupied for corporate purposes, \$1,000; value of investments held by trustees for benefit of society, \$6,000.

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REPORT
OF THE
STATE BOARD OF CHARITY
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PART III
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THE CITY AND TOWN ALMSHOUSES
AND
STATISTICS OF POOR RELIEF

THE CITY AND TOWN ALMSHOUSES.

Laws relating to Almshouses.

For the information of Overseers of the Poor, masters of almshouses, and others concerned, certain laws relating to almshouses are here summarized.

The State Board of Charity is required to visit annually all city and town almshouses, and to include in its Annual Report a statement of their condition and management, with its suggestions and recommendations relative thereto. (Revised Laws, chap. 84, sect. 5.)

The master of every almshouse must keep a register, in a form prescribed by the State Board of Charity, of the names of the persons received or committed, the cities or towns to which they belong, and the dates of their reception and discharge. (Revised Laws, chap. 30, sect. 17.)

Every inmate of an almshouse able to work shall be kept diligently employed in labor. If he is idle and does not perform such reasonable task as is assigned, or if he is stubborn and disorderly, he shall be punished according to the orders and regulations established by the directors. (Revised Laws, chap. 30, sect. 21. See also opinion of Attorney-General, given to State Board of Charity, November 21, 1904.)

The only children who can be lawfully supported in a city or town almshouse for a period of more than two months are: (1) those who are so defective in body or mind as to make their retention in an almshouse desirable; (2) those who are under two years of age; (3) those who are under three years of age; with mothers who are almshouse inmates and suitable persons to aid in taking care of them. In cases of failure of Overseers of the Poor to remove children illegally in almshouses, the State Board of Charity is required to remove them and provide for them otherwise, at the expense of the city or town concerned. (Revised Laws, chap. 81, sect. 6; Acts of 1905, chap. 303; also Acts of 1913, chap. 112.)

Provision is made that tramps and vagrants, as well as criminals, shall be confined in separate and distinct quarters in all almshouses, and shall not be permitted to associate or communicate with pauper inmates. (Acts of 1905, chap. 348.) Almshouse officials knowingly violating this law are liable to be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. (Acts of 1904, chap. 274.) It should also be noted that tramps and vagrants, if physically able, shall perform labor of some kind, and shall be lodged under conditions prescribed by the State Board of Health. (Acts of 1905, chap. 344.)

The State Board of Charity is authorized to advise with and assist Overseers of the Poor in the preparation of plans for almshouse buildings. (Acts of 1905, chap. 162.)

Inspection of Almshouses.

During the official year every almshouse has been visited once by the inspector, 19 have been visited twice, and 3 three times. The inspector has also conferred with Overseers of the Poor or their representatives of 34 cities and towns in regard to almshouse conditions, or on other matters pertaining to the business of the Board. Individual members of the Board have made a number of visits. The good work and hearty co-operation of the Board's appointed almshouse visitors still continues.

Plans for New Almshouses.

Plans have been carefully prepared for new almshouse buildings at Manchester and Lenox.

Almshouses closed.

The almshouse at Millbury has been closed; the town has joined the Charlton Almshouse Association, and its indoor poor are provided for at the Charlton Association Almshouse.

Management.

In 170 almshouses the management is in the hands of a warden and matron, and in 8, of a matron only. The combined salaries of these officials average about \$1,228 per annum for

the cities and about \$535 for the towns, in addition to their board and lodging; the total amount of all salaries being \$114,137.50. About three-quarters of the towns employ a total of 498 assistants, who are generally paid by the town, but in a few instances by the warden. In a number of cases the warden performs other services for the town, without extra compensation. The greatest length of service in any one place is that of Waltham, where the warden and matron have served thirty-one years; at Lexington there has been a like service of twenty-nine years; at Pittsfield the warden has served twenty-eight years and the matron nineteen years; at Haverhill the warden and matron have served twenty-six years; at Springfield the warden has served twenty-five years; at Bridgewater the matron has served eighteen years; at Beverly the warden has served eighteen years; and at Harwich the warden and matron have served seventeen years. Twenty-four cities and towns are reported as employing a total of 151 nurses in almshouses, as follows: Beverly, 2; Boston (Long Island), 60; Cambridge, 5; Cohasset, 1; Concord, 1; Fitchburg, 2; Fall River, 5; Gloucester, 2; Greenfield, 1; Haverhill, 16; Holyoke, 3; Lancaster, 1; Lawrence, 8; Lowell, 8; Lynn, 2; Malden, 2; Milton, 1; New Bedford, 5; North Adams, 1; Rockland, 1; Salem, 4; Springfield, 5; Westfield, 2; Worcester, 13. It appears to the Board a matter of no little importance that in every case of serious illness, where hospital care is not available, the service of a nurse should be procured.

Twelve cities and towns are co-operating with local district nursing associations, and as a result the district nurse is called to the almshouses in these places whenever needed. The Board urges the extension of this practice where district nursing associations are established and where regular nurses cannot be permanently kept in the almshouses.

Construction.

In 110 almshouses one or more sitting-rooms are provided for the use of inmates; 5 use corridors for sitting-rooms; and 54 use dining-rooms. There is in all a total of 158 sitting-rooms and 2,965 sleeping-rooms, in addition to 29 wards and 91 dormitories. There are 6,147 beds. There are 114 smoking-

rooms and 17 assembly-rooms. One hundred and thirty-five almshouses have improved plumbing. In 9 the heating is by hot air; in 12, by hot water; in 107, by steam; in 31, by stoves; in 7, by hot air and stoves; in 1, by hot air and hot water; in 3, by hot air and steam; in 4, by hot water and stoves; and in 4, by steam and stoves. Oil furnishes light for 104 almshouses, electricity for 66, gas for 4, gas and electricity for 2, and oil and electricity for 2. Fire escapes appear to be provided in all cases where they are a matter of importance. In 95 almshouses special hospital accommodations are provided, either by setting apart one or more rooms, or, in a few instances, by separate buildings. The total valuation is \$4,698,260.74. The cost of repairs and improvements for the year amounts to \$122,299.50.

Number of Inmates.

The number of inmates of all the almshouses at the time of visitation was 4,643, viz., 2,650 men, 1,871 women, 56 boys, and 66 girls; the largest number in any one almshouse being 955 in Boston (Long Island), besides 91 in Boston (Charlestown), and the smallest, 1. Among the other almshouses with large populations may be mentioned Lowell, with 390; Fall River, with 198; Cambridge, with 190; Worcester, with 157; Lawrence, with 150; New Bedford, with 141; Holyoke, with 133; and Springfield, with 127. The ages of the inmates of all the almshouses were as follows: fifty-five under 2; thirty-one between 2 and 5; fourteen between 5 and 15; twenty-two between 15 and 21; one hundred and twenty-one between 21 and 30; two hundred and twenty-nine between 30 and 40; five hundred and thirty-eight between 40 and 50; eight hundred and ninety-four between 50 and 60; one thousand three hundred and twenty between 60 and 70; nine hundred and eighty between 70 and 80; three hundred and eighty-seven between 80 and 90; fifty-one between 90 and 100; and one over 100; or, under a different grouping, one hundred and twenty-two were under 21 years of age; three hundred and fifty between 21 and 40; one thousand four hundred and thirty-two between 40 and 60; and two thousand seven hundred and thirty-nine 60 and over. In 60 of the almshouses there was a complete separation of the sexes; in 30 the sexes were separated at night only; in 45 they

were separated except at meals; in 17 there was no separation; in 3 there were no inmates; and in 23 the inmates were all of one sex. Board was paid by friends, or by themselves, for a total of 105 inmates. There were 334 able-bodied inmates under sixty years of age at the time of visitation. There were 20 soldiers and 18 soldiers' widows.

Consumptive Inmates.

There were 103 consumptive cases found in 11 almshouses, viz., Boston (Long Island), 81; Essex, 1; Gloucester, 2; Ipswich, 1; Leominster, 1; Lowell, 5; Mansfield, 1; Pittsfield, 1; Taunton, 3; Weymouth, 3; Worcester, 4.

It was reported that the 85 patients in Boston (Long Island), Essex, Gloucester, and Ipswich were separated from the rest of the inmates, and received special treatment and diet; that the 13 patients at Lowell, Pittsfield, Weymouth, and Worcester were partly separated from the other inmates, and received special treatment and diet; that the 4 patients at Mansfield and Taunton were not separated, but received special treatment and diet; and that the patient at Leominster received special treatment only.

The Board has always urged separation and special treatment and diet in all cases of consumption. In cases where these conditions cannot be complied with, the attention of the overseers or boards of health has been called to the necessity of better care, and a recommendation made that the patient be placed in one of the State sanatoria.

Defective Inmates.

In 167 almshouses there was a total of 1,542 defective inmates, of whom 599 were reported as mentally defective, 69 epileptic, 707 cripples, 119 blind, 23 mentally defective and cripples, 5 cripples and blind, 4 deaf and dumb, 2 mentally defective and blind, 7 mentally defective and epileptic, 4 epileptic and cripples, 1 epileptic, mentally defective and cripple, 1 mentally defective and deformed, 1 mentally defective, deaf and dumb. The presence of persons believed to be insane is brought to the attention of the State Board of Insanity.

Vagrants.

During the last year a total of 149 tramps was found in 17 almshouses. In 15 of these they were wholly separated from the other inmates, as the law requires, and were lodged and fed; and in 2 they were separated and fed only. The almshouses having tramps were: Belchertown, 1; Boylston, 2; Brimfield, 1; Harwich, 1; Holliston, 7; Marshfield, 4; Saugus, 2; Sherborn, 2; Stow, 21; Sturbridge, 5; Sudbury, 1; Swansea, 7; Wareham, 21; Webster, 1; Westfield, 60; Westford, 3; Westport, 10. In view of the fact that in some communities the lodging of tramps and vagrants is allowed, in contravention of the provision of law requiring suitable housing conditions and a work test, the statute embodying those provisions is appended.

ACTS OF 1905, CHAPTER 344.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE LODGING OF TRAMPS AND VAGRANTS BY CITIES AND TOWNS.

Cities and towns which provide lodging for tramps and vagrants shall require them, if physically able, to perform labor of some kind in return for the lodging and food furnished to them; and the places in which such persons are lodged shall be kept in such order and condition as may be prescribed by the state board of health. [*Approved April 26, 1905.*]

Libraries of Books.

The following towns provide libraries of books for the inmates: Boston (Long Island), Brookfield, Carlisle, Fairhaven, Framingham, Groton, Lowell, Malden, Manchester, Marlborough, Melrose, Montague, New Bedford, Newburyport, Newton, North Andover, Somerville, Spencer, Springfield, Waltham, West Brookfield, Westfield, Woburn, and Worcester; and in a few instances newspapers are regularly supplied.

Farm and Farm Products.

In connection with the 178 almshouses is a total of about 17,000 acres; of these during the past year 1,852 were ploughed and 3,570 were tilled. Among the towns having the largest acreage are Gardner, with 400 acres; Worcester, with 376 acres; Ipswich, with 365 acres; North Adams, with 300 acres;

and Brookfield, with 297 acres. Boston (Long Island) tills 135 acres, and Worcester, 100 acres. The chief products are milk and vegetables. Some of the other products are hay, apples, cream, pork, butter, poultry, strawberries, small fruits, and plants for market.

Fire Protection.

It seems absolutely necessary that every almshouse should be equipped with some form of fire protection, and it is gratifying to note that nearly all the boards of overseers have complied with this recommendation.

Improvements and Repairs.

The following improvements and repairs have been made as a result of the Board's recommendations:—

At Ashland, new floors laid; Bellingham, improved plumbing installed; Blackstone, inside painting; Charlton, constant hot water introduced in men's bath-room, a bath-room for the warden, set tubs in the laundry; Clinton, better light for stairways; Concord, new floors laid; Conway, poles erected and a telephone installed; Douglas, a new water supply secured and water conducted to house; Haverhill, new water-closets; Holliston, bath-room for inmates; Groton, house remodelled so as to provide for better separation of sexes; Hopkinton, improved sewerage system; Marblehead, new concrete floors in toilet rooms; Peabody, additional water-closets; Provincetown, new bath-room installed; Wilmington, kitchen sink waste pipe relocated. At Deerfield the custom of housing tramps has been discontinued.

Other improvements and repairs are: At Acton, roofs repaired, plumbing repaired; Adams, inside painting, plastering, papering, repairs to roof, boiler and sewer, also new storage batteries installed and electric light plant greatly improved; Amherst, ordinary repairs, new silo; Andover, shingling and ordinary repairs, a new detached smoking-room built; Ashburnham, barn and shed shingled, papering, inside painting by warden; Athol, water system put in order, cupola on barn, new floor and steel ceiling, minor repairs in house; Attleborough, all shingled, new floor and other repairs to barn, painting and

renovation in house; Ayer, general repairs in house, barn ell and outbuildings shingled, ordinary repairs in house, barn inside painting and papering, plumbing repaired; Bedford, steam heat installed, new barn in process of construction; Belcher-town, new silo; Bellingham, new floors; Beverly, general repairs in house, furnishings, cement work; Blackstone, inside repairs and painting by warden; Boston (Long Island), replacing of routine equipment, to keep plant in perfect condition; Boylston, new ice house; Brimfield, shingling, painting and ordinary repairs; Brockton, new barn; Brookfield, general renovation in house; Brookline, new plumbing, painting, and general repairs; Cambridge, stables painted, dormitory enlarged; Canton, general repairs; Carlisle, new wagon shed and poultry house, repairs to barn and water system; Chicopee, four new ceilings; Clinton, a hospital room arranged, entire house screened; Concord, a bath-room for warden installed; Dana, inside painting and papering; Dartmouth, new tile floor in bath-room and walls given a sanitary finish, new floor in warden's dining-room, sheds shingled; Dedham, ordinary repairs; Deerfield, outside painting, new conductors on house, new roofs on outbuildings; Dennis, ordinary repairs; Douglas, minor repairs on house; Duxbury, new windows, blinds repaired, buildings painted; East Bridgewater, town water introduced; Easton, new heater, set tubs installed; Essex, sea wall, storm windows and repairs at barn; Fairhaven, inside painting, new boiler; Falmouth, repairs to stable and new poultry house; Fitchburg, renovation of warden's part, inside painting, and electrical repairs; Foxborough, ordinary repairs; Framingham, repairs to barn, inside painting, new bedding; Franklin, new sills under barn and shed; Gardner, water system improved, house painted; Georgetown, barn and shed repaired, ice house repaired; Gloucester, shingling, inside painting and general repairs, new refrigerator, a motor for wood sawing installed; Greenfield, inside painting, papering, repairs to plumbing; Greenwich, ordinary repairs; Groton, necessary repairs; Groveland, house shingled; Hanover, inside painting and papering; Harvard, improvements on barn, inside painting in house; Harwich, house shingled, new well; Hingham, hot air pump, new silo, ordinary repairs; Holliston, painting; Holyoke, general repairs; Hop-

kinton, inside painting and plumbing repaired; Hudson, driven well and electric pumping outfit; Huntington, house newly slated; Ipswich, water system improved, heater repaired; Lawrence, outside painting, new piggery, new silo; Lee, interior renovated; Leominster, addition to barn, set tubs installed in house, steel ceilings, roofs repaired; Lexington, necessary repairs; Lowell, new barn, minor repairs at almshouse; Lunenburg, inside painting; Lynn, steel ceilings, papering and painting; Malden, new bath-room, laundry improved and rebuilt, and new laundry machinery installed; Mansfield, new wagon shed built; Marblehead, new plumbing, new hot water piping, new floor in kitchen, new ceilings and electric wiring; Marlborough, hospital ward greatly improved; Marshfield, two rooms renovated; Mattapoisett, shingling; Maynard, inside painting; Medford, ordinary repairs; Medway, minor repairs; Melrose, interior painting; Methuen, new cesspool; Middleborough, granolithic walks laid; Milford, ordinary repairs; Milton, roofs repaired, painting and papering; Montague, steel ceiling in kitchen, interior entirely repainted, barn shingled, bath-room renovated; Nantucket, painting and plumbing repairs; Natick, inside painting; New Bedford, plans drawn and work begun on new dormitory to accommodate fifty men; Newburyport, inside painting and plumbing repaired; Newton, repairs on plumbing and heating; North Adams, general repairs; Northampton, repairs on stable; North Andover, new wagon shed and cow barn, repairs on heater; North Attleborough, inside painting and new screens complete; North Brookfield, barn repaired; North Reading, hot-water boiler and set tubs installed, new floors laid in kitchen and one other room; Oxford, new heating plant, new chimney, and extensive general repairs; Peabody, improvement in heating plant, plumbing improved, and shower bath installed; Palmer, extensive repairs on barn, ordinary repairs on house; Pembroke, inside painting and papering; Pepperell, improvements in house and town water introduced; Pittsfield, city water installed; Plymouth, cellar newly cemented, new hot-water boiler; Provincetown, ordinary repairs; Quincy, minor repairs; Randolph, new floors, new boiler, and roofs repaired; Salem, new floors in two corridors, repairs to boiler and plumbing, new lavatories, barn and

fences painted; Saugus, general repairs, set tubs installed; Seekonk, barn shingled; Sharon, vegetable cellar built, also new poultry house; Sherborn, plumbing repairs; Shrewsbury, new piazza built, plumbing repaired; Somerset, house shingled, inside painting and papering, new furnishings; Southbridge, ordinary repairs; South Hadley, painting, shingling and clapboarding; Spencer, new poultry house built and light hardwood floors laid by warden; Springfield, four additional dormitories built, new heating and electric lighting plants installed; Stoneham, electric lights installed, boiler moved and repiping, new chamber floor, repairs on barn; Stoughton, new boiler and set tubs; Sturbridge, barn repaired, chimney rebuilt; Sutton, new woodshed, steam pipes covered, and new silo built; Swansea, improvements in plumbing; Taunton, new refrigerator, new boiler, repairs to plumbing and electric wires; Tewksbury, new windmill; Townsend, ordinary repairs; Uxbridge, new driven well, general repairs; Wakefield, buildings painted outside, general repairs, electric lights installed; Waltham, new boiler; Ware, new silo; Wareham, general renovation, five rooms papered; Warren, two rooms newly furnished, inside painting by warden; Watertown, boiler and plumbing repaired, house screened; Webster, house painted inside, whitening, barn repaired; Westborough, new piazza floors and concrete steps, electric motor for pumping water; West Boylston, barn shingled; West Bridgewater, extensive repairs on barn; West Brookfield, new silo and concrete work about barn; Westfield, electric wiring, buildings painted, and ordinary repairs; West Newbury, house painted outside, some inside painting and papering, new steps; Weston, outside painting and general repairs; Weymouth, 2½ acres waste land cleared by inmates, a chapel, bath-rooms renovated, and new floors, improvements at barn; Wilmington, new silo; Winchendon, painting and papering, new poultry house; Worcester, new piggery, cow barn repaired and milk room built, blacksmith shop improved, new cottage built for farmer, also ordinary repairs; Wrentham, repairs to plumbing, inside painting.

Recommendations made.

The following suggestions and recommendations have been made by the Board during the year: to the overseers of the poor of Amherst, that electricity be installed for lighting purposes; Ashland, that the almshouse register must be kept at the almshouse; Billerica, that there is serious need of better protection about the wood-burning stoves in the inmates' rooms; Buckland, need of fire protection; Chicopee, renewing recommendation of last year relative to better separation of sexes and the need of an additional bath-room; Dedham, need of improved plumbing in bath-rooms; Easthampton, need of some means of fire protection; Fairhaven, calling attention to the presence of a child in the almshouse beyond the time limit allowed by statute and requesting that other provision be made for him; Fitchburg, general renovation of bath-rooms recommended; Framingham, recommending the installation of one new bath-room and two additional water-closets; Grafton, recommending improvements in water supply; Ipswich, need of some means of fire protection; Lawrence, recommendation that a child be examined with a view to determining his mental condition, and if he be found defective, admission be applied for at the School for Feeble-minded; Lee, that the almshouse register must not be removed from the almshouse; Malden, need of a sitting-room for the women inmates; Mansfield, need of an adequate water supply, also the necessity for a new almshouse; Marlborough, recommendation that suitable lockers be provided for inmates' clothing; Marshfield, recommendation that extensive repairs and improvements be made to present building or a suitable almshouse be erected; Medford, that electricity for lighting purposes be installed; Methuen, that the register should not be removed from the almshouse, also recommended that electricity for lighting be installed; Milton, overseers' attention called to the absence of both acting warden and matron at time of inspector's visit; Monson, that other provision should be made for a child at the almshouse beyond the limit allowed by law; Newburyport, recommended that electricity for lighting be installed; North Attleborough, recommended that a smoking-room, preferably outside the building,

be arranged; Huntington, recommended that some manner of fire protection be provided; Quincy, recommended that privies be relocated in a less objectionable situation; Reading, recommended that an additional bath-room be installed; Rockport, recommended that a smoking-room be arranged; Somerset, need of fire extinguishers or some other means of fire protection; Stoneham, need of better accommodations for an old and untidy inmate; Stow, that the present practice of housing tramps be discontinued; Sturbridge, need of new floors; Swansea, that housing of tramps be discontinued; Taunton, the following recommendations were made: a new bath-room and an additional water-closet for men, a sitting-room for women, better laundry equipment, and better segregation for consumptives; Townsend, renewing the recommendation of last year that a bath-room be provided; Upton, recommended that roof be repaired and an additional bath-room be provided; Waltham, the attention of the overseers was called to the prolonged absence of the matron; Warren, that other provisions be made for a child remaining at the almshouse beyond the legal time limit; Wareham, that the practice of housing tramps be discontinued, that a suitable system of heating be installed and that the men's dormitory be painted; Westfield, need of removing the women's bath-room to the women's part of the building; Weymouth, recommended that other provision be made for an inmate suffering from consumption, and suggesting that admission be obtained to one of the sanatoria; Woburn, twice calling the attention of the overseers to children at the almshouse beyond the legal time limit and requesting that other provision be made; Deerfield, calling the overseers' attention to the absence of the matron, and requesting that a suitable woman be hired in the interim.

New almshouse buildings are needed at Mansfield, Fall River, Marshfield, and Woburn. Increased accommodations are an urgent necessity at Haverhill.

Almshouse Visitors.

The almshouse visitors are local residents, giving their services, under the Board's appointment. Those now in office are: Mrs. A. K. Bailey, Lynn; Emily A. Bailey, West Newbury;

Mary Belle Bailey, Lancaster; Nellie E. Barrett, Worcester; Helen L. Batchellor, North Brookfield; Mrs. Charles I. Bliss, Hingham; May W. Bennett, Worcester; Nellie C. Boutwell, Malden; Mrs. William Bray, Georgetown; Josephine S. Brooks, Nantucket; Helen W. Brown, Reading; Mrs. William C. Brown, Melrose; Mrs. M. Leontiene Buck, Wilmington; Mrs. Gilbert J. Carter, Clinton; Florence E. Chase, Sturbridge; Minnie A. Clifford, Monson; Mrs. Eli Converse, West Brookfield; Ruth S. Conwell, Provincetown; Mrs. Alvah Crocker, Fitchburg; Mrs. Edwin R. Crossley, North Attleborough; Mrs. George W. Crowther, Amesbury; Mary E. Curtis, Norwell; Kate Darling, Worcester; Edna Deland, Warren; Louise G. DeLong, Medford; Anna T. Dyer, South Braintree; Mary W. Esterbrook, Lunenburg; Georgia E. Fairfield, Fairhaven; Lizzie C. Flavell, Marshfield; Mrs. Daniel F. Flynn, Randolph; Lelia F. French, Gloucester; Helen A. Hanscom, Haverhill; Helen E. Hartwell, Ayer; Mrs. James A. Hewes, Melrose; Miss H. E. Hooker, South Hadley; Florence W. Hutchinson, Pepperell; Mrs. Elbridge R. Jackson, Gardner; Elizabeth H. Kelley, Falmouth; Susan Kennedy, Milton; Mrs. Lida A. Kimball, North Adams; Fanny E. Lane, Weston; Sarah Laurence, Boston; Mary A. Leeds, Woburn; Anna S. LeLacheur, West Bridgewater; Julia G. Lyman, Montague; Adeline May, Leicester; Effie A. Merrill, Peabody; Abbie E. Merritt, Ashburnham; Mrs. Charles N. Morse, Foxborough; Susie Bosworth Munn, Easthampton; Elizabeth D. Nash, Greenfield; Sara O'Brien, Rowley; Lydia W. Palmer, West Stockbridge; Charlotte Parsons, Mattapoisett; Maidee P. Pollys, Essex; Grace L. Porter, Manchester; Mrs. Edgar Preble, Charlton; Hattie H. Robbins, Lee; Mary C. Rogers, Canton; Mrs. Henry C. Rolfe, Concord; Miss M. T. Ruggles, Holyoke; Jane Austin Russell, Pittsfield; Mrs. Alfred M. Russell, Newtonville; Helen Russell, Plymouth; Mrs. Grant Shattuck, Groton; Dr. Mary H. Sherman, Brookfield; Winifred B. Simonds, Bedford; Mrs. Henry D. Sleeper, Northampton; Mrs. Austin E. Smith, Springfield; May Knight Southwell, Somerville; Bertha J. Southwick, Taunton; Alice J. Spalter, Winchendon; Grace A. Spaulding, Lexington; Myrtie A. Spooner, North Easton; M. Elizabeth Stebbins, Deerfield;

Elizabeth S. Steele, Worcester; Mrs. H. W. Stevens, Lee; Fanny C. Stone, Newburyport; Mary C. Sweet, Lawrence; Ann C. Taylor, Townsend; Mrs. W. P. Taylor, Ashfield; Mrs. L. H. Tourtellotte, Marlborough; Amy F. Trow, Andover; Ellen H. Underwood, South Dennis; Alice E. Wetherbee, Fall River; Mary J. Wheeler, Athol; Harriet E. Wheelock, Uxbridge; Abbie M. White, Grafton; Mrs. E. M. White, Framingham; Laura G. Woodberry, Beverly.

REPORTS

ACTON. Population, 2,136.

Inspected November 11, 1913.

Warden, Melvin W. Emerick; matron, Mrs. Emerick; salary, \$480; served here two years and nine months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Five sleeping-rooms, with five beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men. One man does light chores. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70. Both inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two men cripples. Ninety acres of land; eight acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and apples.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$2,211.02; net, \$625.65. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$67.10.

ADAMS. Population, 13,026.

Inspected October 7, 1913.

Warden, Frank G. Warren; matron, Mrs. Warren; salary, \$1,000; served here eight years. Warden also has charge of garbage collection, without extra compensation. Three assistants, two men and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-four sleeping-rooms, with twenty-four beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-eight; largest number at one time, twenty-three; smallest number, nineteen. Number at time of visitation, twenty-two, viz., ten men, eleven women, one girl. One man helps with farm work, two do light chores, one helps with washing and in house; one woman does housework, three wash dishes. Ages: one under 2; one between 21 and 30; two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; six between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Twenty inmates permanent, two temporary. Two women mentally defective; three men and one woman cripples; one man and

one woman blind; one man and one woman mentally defective and epileptic. One woman supported by Springfield. One hundred and sixty acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: cream, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$11,000. Total annual cost, \$5,047.38; net, \$3,679.31. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$255.98.

AMESBURY. Population, 9,894.

Inspected June 13, 1913.

Warden, Fred J. Hooper; matron, Mrs. Hooper; salary, \$700; warden served here eight years; matron, fourteen years. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and one smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty-five beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty; largest number at one time, twenty-two; smallest number, fifteen. Number at time of visitation, fifteen, viz., nine men, six women. Three men do general chores, one cares for dining-room; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. Two men and three women mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a man. Forty and one-half acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; twenty-two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,125.25. Total annual cost, \$4,307.42; net, \$3,068.07.

AMHERST. Population, 5,112.

Inspected October 22, 1913.

Warden, John Haynes; matron, Mrs. Haynes; salary, \$500; served here nine months. Two assistants, one man (occasionally) and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; four privies. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz.,

five men, two women. One man does barn chores, one does light chores, one cares for hens; women do no work. Ages: one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective. Two hundred acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,237.85. Total annual cost, \$3,526.54; net, \$2,307.08. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$500.

ANDOVER. Population, 7,301.

Inspected January 27, 1913.

Warden, Fred A. Swanton; matron, Mrs. Swanton; salary, \$750; served here four and three-quarters years. Two assistants, women, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, a sewing-room and an assembly room. Twenty sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty-six beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas and electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, sixteen; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, twelve, viz., nine men, three women. Two men do general chores, two help with washing and inside work; one woman helps with inside work. Ages: one between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Eleven inmates permanent, one temporary. Three deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. District nurse on call. Nineteen acres of land; four acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$20,585. Total annual cost, \$4,539.87; net, \$4,178.20. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$279.34.

ASHBURNHAM. Population, 2,107.

Inspected November 19, 1913.

Warden, Percy Norton; matron, Mrs. Norton; salary, \$500; served here two years and three months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Three privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time,

five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., one man, two women. One woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective. One hundred and forty acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,500. Total annual cost, \$2,711.20; net, \$714.10.

ASHBY. Population, 885.

Inspected September 10, 1913.

Warden, Lee Pennock; matron, Mrs. Pennock; served here five months. Warden pays \$150 per year for rent of farm, and boards one inmate without expense to town. Warden has five rooms. Eight sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves and steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, two; largest number at one time, one; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, one woman, a boarder, between 60 and 70 years of age, permanent, helps with housework. One hundred and seventy-five acres of land; six acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,258.62.

ASHFIELD. Population, 959.

Inspected September 16, 1913.

Warden, George Tatro; matron, Miss Katherine Connor; salary, \$300; served here one year. One assistant, a woman, paid by the warden. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Five sleeping-rooms, with five beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, one; largest number at one time, one; smallest number, one. No inmates at time of visitation. One hundred and twenty acres of land; two acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: cream and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,391.25. Total annual cost, \$1,492.14; net, \$176.01.

ASHLAND. Population, 1,682.

Inspected August 20, 1913.

Warden, J. N. Faulkenham; matron, Mrs. Faulkenham; salary, \$600; served here four months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; three

privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., seven men, one woman. One man works at wood pile, two help with barn chores, one helps in house. Ages: two between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; three men cripples; one man mentally defective and a cripple. One hundred and ten acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,441.90. Total annual cost, \$3,980.92; net, \$591.09.

ATHOL. Population, 8,536.

Inspected July 18, 1913.

Warden, Fred W. Burnham; matron, Mrs. Burnham; salary, \$600; served here four years and three months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room, also used as smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-five; largest number at one time, nineteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, fifteen, viz., ten men, five women. One man does carpenter work, one drives team; two women help with housework, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 21 and 30; two between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; seven between 80 and 90. Fifteen inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman epileptic; one man a cripple. One boarder, a woman. Two men supported by Orange. One hundred and fifty acres of land; seven acres ploughed; eighteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$3,697.33; net, \$2,200.04. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$295.53.

ATTLEBOROUGH. Population, 16,215.

Inspected August 11, 1913.

Warden, Nelson Hagar; matron, Mrs. Hagar; salary, \$500; served here nine years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has nine rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One smoking-room. Eighteen sleeping-rooms, with eighteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during

year, twenty-five; largest number at one time, nineteen; smallest number, fourteen. Number at time of visitation, fourteen, viz., eight men, six women. Two men do barn chores, one cares for men's smoking-room; two women do housework. Ages: two between 40 and 50; four between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Five deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; three men cripples; one woman blind. One boarder, a woman. One hundred and nine acres of land; five acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,000. Total annual cost, \$4,113.25; net, \$3,008.11. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$101.96.

AUBURN. Population, 2,420.

(See Charlton.)

AYER. Population, 2,797.

Inspected November 15, 1913.

Warden, Burton H. Allen; matron, Mrs. Allen; salary, \$500; served here two years and seven months. Warden also works on town highways, without extra compensation. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One sitting-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four men. One man works on roads, one does light chores, one works in house. Ages: two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. Two men mentally defective; two men mentally defective and cripples. Fifty-seven acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and apples.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$11,982. Total annual cost, \$3,282.21; net, \$2,068.17. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$50.

BARNSTABLE. Population, 4,676.

Inspected November 24, 1913.

Warden, Alexander B. Chase; matron, Mrs. Chase; salary, \$400; served here six and one-half years. Warden has four rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Corridor used as smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with seventeen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; four privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during

year, eighteen; largest number at one time, sixteen; smallest number, ten. Number at time of visitation, twelve, viz., four men, eight women. One man does barn chores, two work on wood and do chores; three women help with housework. Ages: three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90. Ten inmates permanent, two temporary. Three deaths during past year. One man and four women mentally defective; two women cripples; one woman blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. Fifty acres of land; three acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,500. Total annual cost, \$3,784.54; net, \$3,544.08. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$150.70.

BARRE. Population, 2,957.

Inspected October 13, 1913.

Warden, Edward A. Ackerman; matron, Mrs. Ackerman; salary, \$575; served here eight and one-half years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twenty-three sleeping-rooms, with eighteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., two men, three women. Men do no work; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one man mentally defective and crippled. Two hundred and twenty-four acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; thirteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,981.10. Total annual cost, \$3,420.28; net, \$1,304.72. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$79.30.

BEDFORD. Population, 1,231.

Inspected September 29, 1913.

Warden, William Thompson; matron, Mrs. Thompson; salary, \$650; served here fourteen years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. One man helps in house. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80.

All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One hundred and eighteen acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; twenty-four acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$9,350. Total annual cost, \$2,977.30; net, \$549.12.

BELCHERTOWN. Population, 2,054.

Inspected October 22, 1913.

Warden, Louis A. Shumway; matron, Mrs. Shumway; salary, \$450; served here four months. Warden also drives town hearse and is keeper of town lockup, without extra compensation. Warden has four rooms. One sitting-room. Eleven sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, one; largest number at one time, one; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, one man, permanent, between 30 and 40 years of age, mentally defective, who does light chores. One tramp, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, and not required to work because crippled. One hundred and ninety acres of land; ten acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,232.51. Total annual cost, \$1,777.07; net, \$175.47. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$151.18.

BELLINGHAM. Population, 1,690.

Inspected August 15, 1913.

Warden, Edgar A. Chase; matron, Mrs. Chase; salary, \$500; served here two years and six months. Warden also drives school barge, without extra compensation. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., two men, three women. One man does general chores; three women help with housework. Ages: two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. Two women mentally defective; one man epileptic; one man a cripple. Two hundred and forty-five acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$9,313. Total annual cost, \$4,436.58; net, \$1,025.90. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$85.89.

BEVERLY. Population, 18,650.

Inspected September 8, 1913.

Warden, Walter Farnum; salary, \$600; served here eighteen years; matron, Mrs. Farnum; salary, \$300; served here three and one-half years. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by city. Warden has thirteen rooms and a bath-room. Three wards and three rooms, with eleven beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with twenty-eight beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Six water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventy; largest number at one time, thirty-four; smallest number, twenty-five. Number at time of visitation, twenty-eight, viz., fourteen men, thirteen women, one girl. One man does general chores, one helps in house; five women help with housework. Ages: one under 2; one between 30 and 40; three between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; ten between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. Twenty-seven inmates permanent, one temporary. Eight deaths during past year. Two men and three women mentally defective; one man a cripple; one man a cripple and blind. Two boarders, one man and one woman. Two nurses, women. Twenty-six acres of land; three acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$38,800. Total annual cost, \$7,899.89; net, \$6,598.71. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$938.47.

BILLERICA. Population, 2,789.

Inspected November 21, 1913.

Warden, William L. White; matron, Mrs. White; salary, \$600; served here one year and seven months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., one man, two women. One man does light chores; one woman washes dishes. Ages: two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple. One hundred acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$3,520.77; net, \$571.22. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$52.58.

BLACKSTONE. Population, 5,648.

Inspected September 23, 1913.

Warden, Edward Malley; matron, Mrs. Malley; salary, \$500; served here two years. Warden has four rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-four sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, seventeen; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., four men, four women, one boy. Two men do general chores, one prepares vegetables; one woman makes beds. Ages: one between 15 and 21; one between 21 and 30; three between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a woman. One hundred and three acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: butter and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,300. Total annual cost, \$3,403.64; net, \$2,883.81.

BOSTON. Population 670,585.

Long Island.

Inspected November 28, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Donlan, M.D.; salary, \$3,500; served here five and one-half years; matron, Ellen H. Marshall; salary, \$800; served here three months; chief officer, Arthur P. Moran; salary, \$1,200; chief clerk, T. J. O'Donnell; salary, \$1,200; resident physician, James S. Tomkies, M.D.; salary, \$1,500. Sixty-four assistants, thirty-three men and thirty-one women, paid by city. Warden has separate building. Two buildings set apart for hospital use. Five sitting-rooms, an assembly room, a smoking-room, and a library of books. One hundred and sixty-three sleeping-rooms, six dormitories and nineteen wards, with one thousand and seventeen beds. Twelve bath-rooms, with thirty tubs and seven shower baths, with hot and cold water. Sixty-one water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, two thousand, four hundred and thirty-five; largest number at one time, one thousand and thirty-four; smallest number, eight hundred and four. Number at time of visitation, nine hundred and fifty-five, viz., four hundred and ninety-one men, four hundred and thirty-two women, twelve boys, twenty girls. Seven men work in engineering department; five in carpenter department; five in painting department; four in

bakery; four in storekeeper's department; two in mason department; eight gardeners; eight work on farm; twelve in dining hall; three on steamer "Hibbard;" three barbers; nine work in kitchen; twenty-four in hospital; and one hundred and thirty-one men do general inside work. Eight women work in dining hall; ten in kitchen; twenty do hospital work, and seventy-eight do house work. Ages: sixteen under 2; seven between 2 and 5; three between 5 and 15; six between 15 and 21; eighteen between 21 and 30; fifty-two between 30 and 40; one hundred and sixty-nine between 40 and 50; two hundred and twenty-seven between 50 and 60; two hundred and seventy-six between 60 and 70; one hundred and twenty-four between 70 and 80; fifty-one between 80 and 90; six between 90 and 100. Nine hundred and twenty-three inmates permanent, thirty-two temporary. Ninety-seven deaths during past year. One hundred and seven men and seventy-nine women mentally defective; one hundred and sixty-six men and one hundred and twenty-nine women crippled; nine men and sixteen women epileptics; seven men and seventeen women blind. Seventy-four able-bodied inmates, fifty-four men and twenty women, under sixty years of age. Twenty men supported by the State; one man by Wakefield; one man by Chelsea; three women by Everett; one man by Framingham; one woman by Westfield; one woman and one boy by Haverhill; one man by Stoneham; one man by Lynn; one girl by Gloucester; one man by Cambridge. Eighty-one consumptives, fifty-nine men and twenty-two women, separated from other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. Sixty nurses, ten men and fifty women. One hundred and sixty-seven acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; one hundred and thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$1,031,764.90. Total annual cost, \$200,955.85; net, \$195,306.29. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$8,045.97.

Charlestown.

Inspected May 23, 1913.

Matron, Miss Mary Morris; salary, \$1,200; served here six years. Eight assistants, four men and four women, paid by city. Matron has three rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room, a sewing-room, and a smoking-room. Seventeen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with one hundred and twenty-eight beds. Five bath-rooms, with eight tubs, supplied with hot and cold water. Eleven water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and sixty-six; largest number at one time, one hundred and five; smallest number, eighty-five. Number at time of visitation, ninety-one, viz., forty-three men, forty-eight women. Twenty-six

men do general chores, ten do light chores, twelve help in house; twenty women help with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; three between 40 and 50; twenty-two between 50 and 60; thirty-one between 60 and 70; twenty-six between 70 and 80; eight between 80 and 90. Seventy-nine inmates permanent, twelve temporary. Two deaths during past year. One man and two women cripples; one man and one woman blind. Thirty-six able-bodied inmates, twenty-eight men and eight women, under sixty years of age. Four acres of land; two acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$28,864.45. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$371.13.

BOYLSTON. Population, 714.

Inspected June 3, 1913.

Warden, William J. Aiken; matron, Mrs. Aiken; salary, \$450; served here two years and one month. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One smoking-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with five beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men. One man helps a little in the house. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60. Both inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man blind; one man mentally defective and crippled. Two tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. One hundred and two acres of land; ten acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,056.37. Total annual cost, \$2,373.96; excess of receipts over expenditures, \$9.87. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$29.87.

BRAINTREE. Population, 8,066.

Inspected February 13, 1913.

Warden, Daniel James; matron, Mrs. James; salary, \$500; served here ten weeks. Warden also serves as keeper of lockup. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., four men, one woman.

One man helps with chores. Ages: two between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman, cripples; one man blind. Nine acres of land; one acre ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$19,350. Total annual cost, \$2,595.09; net, \$2,151.65.

BRIDGEWATER. Population, 7,688.

Inspected February 11, 1913.

Matron, Mrs. Neil J. Deering; salary, \$450; served here eighteen years. Matron has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two privies. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, nineteen; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. One man does light chores; one woman does chamber work and sweeps. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman a cripple; one woman mentally defective and epileptic. One hundred and ten acres of land; three acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,187. Total annual cost, \$1,732.69; net, \$1,563.00.

BRIMFIELD. Population, 866.

Inspected June 30, 1913.

Warden, Wallace P. Moore; matron, Mrs. Moore. Warden rents farm, paying \$120 per year, and cares for inmates at the rate of \$3 per week. Served here four years and three months. Warden has eleven rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Eleven sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. No inmates during year. One tramp during the year, lodged, fed, not required to work. Two hundred and twenty-six acres of land: five acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,431.55. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$90.31.

BROCKTON. Population, 56,878.

Inspected November 11, 1913.

Warden, William H. Brown; matron, Mrs. Brown; salary, \$1,600; served here nine years. Warden has charge of city store, city garbage collection, and delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra

compensation. Ten assistants, five men and five women, paid by city. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. Five rooms, with five beds, and a separate bath-room, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, two sun corridors, a sewing-room, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Twenty-five sleeping-rooms and three dormitories, with sixty-eight beds. Five bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Six water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eighty-six; largest number at one time, sixty; smallest number, forty-four. Number at time of visitation, forty-four, viz., twenty-eight men, sixteen women. Four men do general farm work and work in piggery, six do light chores, one works in house; three women do housework, four sew and mend. Ages: two between 30 and 40; four between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; thirteen between 60 and 70; sixteen between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Thirty-four inmates permanent, ten temporary. Seven deaths during past year. Two men and one woman mentally defective; two men cripples. Two able-bodied inmates, a man and a woman, under sixty years of age. Two boarders, a man and a woman. One hundred and twenty-eight acres of land; eighteen acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$52,475. Total annual cost, \$19,378.54; net, \$11,670.36. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$17,000.

BROOKFIELD. Population, 2,204.

Inspected July 22, 1913.

Warden, Richard L. Wentworth; matron, Mrs. Wentworth; salary, \$500; served here one year and three months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, one smoking-room, and a library of books. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, seven men. Two men do light chores, two help in house. Ages: two between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two hundred and ninety-seven acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$2,986.58; net, \$1,645.47.

BROOKLINE. Population, 27,792.

Inspected May 31, 1913.

Warden, Lorenzo D. Perkins; matron, Mrs. Perkins; salary, \$500; served here one month. Warden also has charge of hospital of the board of health at a salary of \$500. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms. Seven sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with twenty beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas and electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, nineteen; largest number at one time, seventeen; smallest number, fourteen. Number at time of visitation, seventeen, viz., fourteen men, three women. Four men do general chores; three help inside; women do no work. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; six between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Seventeen inmates permanent. Two men cripples. One acre of land; a small garden ploughed. Chief products: vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$16,500. Total annual cost, \$4,951.56; net, \$4,946.56. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$453.60.

BUCKLAND. Population, 1,573.

Inspected September 16, 1913.

Warden, Thomas Beaupre; matron, Mrs. Beaupre; salary, \$500; served here one year and four months. Warden also has charge of highways, without extra compensation. One occasional assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Sixteen sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two women, who do no work. Ages: two between 80 and 90. Both inmates permanent. One woman a cripple. Eighty acres of land; four acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: butter, vegetables, and apples.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,800. Total annual cost, \$1,587.19; net, \$178.98.

CAMBRIDGE. Population, 104,839.

Inspected October 17, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Goodrow; matron, Mrs. Goodrow; salary, \$1,500; served here ten years. Warden also has charge of city garbage collection and delivery of supplies to outdoor poor, without

extra compensation. Fifteen assistants, six men and nine women, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One separate building, also three rooms in main building, with thirty-one beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, one sewing-room, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Thirty-one sleeping-rooms and three dormitories, with one hundred and seventy-seven beds. Four bath-rooms and three shower baths, with hot and cold water. Ten water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas and electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three hundred and fifty; largest number at one time, one hundred and ninety; smallest number, one hundred and fifty-seven. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and ninety, viz., one hundred and eleven men, seventy-five women, three boys, one girl. Four men do general farm work, seven do light chores, four help in house; six women do general housework, five do sewing and mending. Ages: three under 2; one between 5 and 15; five between 21 and 30; ten between 30 and 40; thirty between 40 and 50; forty-eight between 50 and 60; sixty-one between 60 and 70; twenty-six between 70 and 80; six between 80 and 90. One hundred and sixty inmates permanent, thirty temporary. Thirty-eight deaths during past year. One man and four women epileptics; one man a cripple; two women blind; one man mentally defective and deformed. Fourteen able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. Two boarders, one man and one woman. Five nurses, one man and four women. Twenty-five acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; one acre tilled. Chief products: vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$81,700. Total annual cost, \$31,859.52; net, \$26,619.01. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$475.

CANTON. Population, 4,797.

Inspected November 10, 1913.

Warden, Albert F. Reynolds; matron, Mrs. Reynolds; salary, \$500; warden served here fourteen years, matron, ten years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Nineteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty-four beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, twelve, viz., seven men, five women. Three men do general chores, one helps in house; one woman prepares vegetables, two wash dishes and care for own rooms. Ages: three between 40 and 50; one be-

tween 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples; one man mentally defective and a cripple; one woman deformed and mentally defective. One boarder, a woman. One man and one woman supported by Norwood; two men and one woman supported by Walpole. District nurse on call. Forty acres of land; eleven acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$17,000. Total annual cost, \$3,077.18; net, \$1,451.38. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$100.

CARLISLE. Population, 551.

Inspected September 29, 1913.

Warden, Frank A. Hannaford; matron, Mrs. Hannaford; salary, \$343; served here two years and five months. One occasional assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as a sitting-room. One smoking-room and a library of books. Four sleeping-rooms, with five beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men, two women. One man does general chores and helps with washing; two women help a little with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective. One hundred and fifty-six acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$1,878.40. Total annual cost, \$2,152.94; net, \$219.32. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$44.89.

CHARLTON. Population, 3,032.

Inspected April 1, 1913.

This almshouse is managed by an association known as the Charlton Almshouse Association, and is used in common by the towns of Auburn, Charlton, Hardwick, Holden, Hubbardston, Leicester, Oakham, Paxton, Phillipston, Princeton, Rutland, Wales, and Westminster. Warden, Orrin L. Potter; matron, Mrs. Potter; salary, \$650; served here six years. Four assistants, two men and two women, paid by association. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two sitting-rooms. Fifteen sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty-seven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; one privy. Heating by stoves, hot water, and steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes.

Total number of inmates during year, thirty-one; largest number at one time, eighteen; smallest number, sixteen. Number at time of visitation, fourteen, viz., nine men, five women. Two men help with barn chores, one helps in house; one woman cares for sick woman. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Eight deaths during past year. Two men mentally defective; one man epileptic; two men cripples. Three men and one woman supported by Hubbardston; one woman by Auburn; one man by Rutland; one man by Princeton; one man by Holden; two men by Westminster; one woman by Paxton; one man and one woman by Leicester; one man by Charlton. Two hundred acres of land; nineteen acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$7,024.94; net, \$3,282.29, of which Auburn paid \$254.89; Charlton, \$329.11; Hardwick, \$89.89; Holden, \$247.16; Hubbardston, \$360.85; Leicester, \$599.25; Paxton, \$201.91; Princeton, \$201.91; Rutland, \$246.32; Westminster, \$751.

CHELMSFORD. Population, 5,010.

Inspected March 19, 1913.

Warden, Waldo Hannaford; matron, Mrs. Hannaford; salary, \$400; served here six years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with sixteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., five men, four women. One man does barn chores; one woman does housework; one helps with sewing. Ages: one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; five between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; two men blind. Forty-five acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,836.75. Total annual cost, \$2,904.35; net, \$1,547.81.

CHESTER. Population, 1,377.

(See Huntington.)

CHICOPEE. Population, 25,401.

Inspected January 10, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Butler; matron, Mrs. Butler; salary, \$650; served here thirteen years. Four assistants, one man and three women, paid by city. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. One room, with three beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-rom. Twenty-three sleeping-rooms, with forty-five beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Seven water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, sixty; largest number at one time, thirty-six; smallest number, thirty. Number at time of visitation, thirty-two, viz., twenty men, twelve women. Five men do light chores, one helps inside. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; six between 50 and 60; nine between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; nine between 80 and 90. Twenty-seven inmates permanent, five temporary. Eight deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; two men and two women cripples; one woman crippled, mentally defective, and epileptic. Two able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. Eighteen acres of land; four acres ploughed; eight acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$22,000. Total annual cost, \$6,867.53; net, \$6,679.89.

CLINTON. Population, 13,075.

Inspected April 15, 1913.

Warden, John B. Gallagher; salary, \$700; matron, Mrs. Gallagher; salary, \$100; served here two years. Warden also serves as agent of Overseers of the Poor, and delivers wood to outdoor poor. Two assistants, women, paid by town. Warden has ten rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirty-one sleeping-rooms, with thirty-one beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-five; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, fourteen, viz., eight men, six women. Two men work at wood pile, two help in house; all women care for own rooms, two do washing, and three iron. Ages: one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally de-

fective. District nurse on call. Fourteen acres of land; a small garden ploughed. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$5,135.91; net, \$5,117.66. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$251.41.

COHASSET. Population, 2,585.

Inspected May 19, 1913.

Warden, James H. Pinkham; matron, Mrs. Pinkham; salary, \$600; served here two and one-half years. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with four beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Eighteen sleeping-rooms, with eighteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirteen; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, eight. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., three men, five women. One man does light chores; two women help with housework. Ages: two between 21 and 30; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Seven inmates permanent, one temporary. Two deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; one man and one woman blind. Two boarders, women. One woman supported by Provincetown. One nurse, a woman. Forty-five acres of land; two acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$25,000. Total annual cost, \$3,046.13; net, \$2,572.28.

CONCORD. Population, 6,421.

Inspected May 22, 1913.

Warden, Michael J. Maguire; matron, Mrs. Maguire; salary, \$700; served here two years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, also used as a smoking-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, ten; smallest number, eight. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., six men, two women. One man helps in house and with washing, one helps with barn chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: three between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman a cripple; two men blind. Trained

nurse employed in sickness. Seventy-five acres of land; ten acres ploughed; sixty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$15,500. Total annual cost, \$4,601.94; net, \$1,633.14. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$856.41.

CONWAY. Population, 1,230.

Inspected September 17, 1913.

Warden, Orville Bush; matron, Mrs. Bush; salary, \$400; served here six months. One assistant, a girl, paid by warden. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room. Five sleeping-rooms, with four beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, four: largest number at one time, four; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men. Inmates do no work. Ages: one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Both inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man a cripple. One hundred acres of land; five acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$2,961. Total annual cost, \$1,624.15; net, \$371.28. Cost of improvements, \$53.25.

DANA. Population, 736.

Inspected October 13, 1913.

Warden, Joseph Chelifoux; matron, Mrs. Chelifoux; salary, \$360; served here three and one-half years. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Five sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One privy. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. Inmates do no work. Ages: one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One hundred and forty-three acres of land; seven acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: cream and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,050. Total annual cost, \$1,403.60; net, \$672.17. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$129.48.

DARTMOUTH. Population, 4,378.

Inspected July 2, 1913.

Warden, Nahum F. Nickelson; matron, Mrs. Nickelson; salary, \$600; served here one year. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One room, with five beds, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room.

Seven sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., five men, one woman. One man does barn chores, one helps with housework, one takes care of bath-room. Ages: one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two men mentally defective, one woman blind. Seventy-five acres of land; four acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,500. Total annual cost, \$3,520.47; net, \$2,065.57. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$192.15.

DEDHAM. Population, 9,284.

Inspected March 11, 1913.

Warden, Benjamin Turner; matron, Mrs. Turner; salary, \$650; served here three years. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, ten. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., seven men, four women. One man a teamster; two women do light work. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; two men and two women cripples. Two boarders, one man and one woman. District nurse on call. Ten acres of land; seven acres ploughed. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,850. Total annual cost, \$4,145.06; net, \$1,023.89. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$93.52.

DEERFIELD. Population, 2,209.

Inspected September 16, 1913.

Warden, Henry N. Young; matron, Mrs. Young; salary, \$325; served here one year and ten months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with five beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Separation of sexes at night only. Total number of

inmates during year, two; largest number at one time, two; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two, viz., one man, one woman. Man does chores; woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80. Both inmates permanent. One man mentally defective. One hundred acres of land; five acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,031.40. Total annual cost, \$998.54; net, \$618.55. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$120.

DENNIS. Population, 919.

Inspected November 24, 1913.

Warden, John W. Ellis; matron, Mrs. Ellis; salary, \$300; served here six weeks. Warden also acts as janitor of town house, without extra compensation. Warden has three rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Three privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., one man, four women. One man does chores; one woman washes dishes, one does general housework. Ages: two between 40 and 50; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One woman mentally defective; one woman epileptic and mentally defective. Forty acres of land; a small garden ploughed. Chief products: eggs and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$2,000. Total annual cost, \$1,189.25; net, \$1,133.06. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$57.86.

DOUGLAS. Population, 2,152.

Inspected July 16, 1913.

Warden, Alonzo S. Potter; matron, Mrs. Potter; salary, \$375; served here three and one-half years. Warden also cares for a section of town highway, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. One smoking-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with six beds. One bathroom, without direct water supply. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., three men, two women. One man does light chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one over 100. All

inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman crippled. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One hundred and seventy acres of land; seven acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,864.48. Total annual cost, \$2,112.49; net, \$952.83. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$195.48.

DUXBURY. Population, 1,688.

Inspected February 5, 1913.

Warden, Herbert Packard; matron, Mrs. Packard; salary, \$250; served here two and three-quarters years. Warden has three rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room; warden's sitting-room also used by inmates. Ten sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by hot air and hot water. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men, two women. Ages: one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective and crippled. Eight acres of land; a small garden ploughed. Chief products: vegetables and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,525. Total annual cost, \$1,029.75; net, \$761.38. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$156.27.

EAST BRIDGEWATER. Population, 3,363.

Inspected March 4, 1913.

Warden, George W. Tinkham; matron, Mrs. Tinkham; salary, \$450; served here one and one-half years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. Two men do chores. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective. Ninety acres of land; seven acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,000. Total annual cost, \$2,563.13; net, \$1,721.01.

EASTHAMPTON. Population, 8,524.

Inspected September 18, 1913.

Warden, Frederick L. Frost; matron, Mrs. Frost; salary, \$760; served here one and one-half years. Two assistants, men, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., six men, one woman. One man cares for hens and works in garden, two help with washing, one helps in house; one woman wipes dishes and cares for dining-room. Ages: one between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; two men cripples. One hundred and thirty-three acres of land; seventeen acres ploughed; fifty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,000. Total annual cost, \$3,041.27; net, \$1,257.53.

EASTON. Population, 5,139.

Inspected July 9, 1913.

Warden, Charles Scott; matron, Mrs. Scott; salary, \$600; served here eleven years and three months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., one man, seven women. One man does light chores; two women do housework, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 30 and 40; three between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple. One hundred and forty acres of land; seven acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,535. Total annual cost, \$3,842.64; net, \$2,449.45. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$338.41.

ESSEX. POPULATION, 1,621.

Inspected January 1, 1913.

Warden, Patrick Warren; matron, Mrs. Warren; salary, \$450; served here five years. Warden also has charge of water supply for cottages on town land, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man (occasionally) and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., five men, two women. One man does chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. Seven inmates permanent, one temporary. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man blind. One consumptive, a man, separated from the other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. One hundred and fifty-eight acres of land; five acres ploughed; seven acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$17,404.74. Total annual cost, \$4,261.69; net, \$122.21. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$409.23.

FAIRHAVEN. Population, 5,122.

Inspected August 27, 1913.

Warden, John J. Eldredge; matron, Mrs. Eldredge; salary, \$600; served here five years and five months. Warden also drives school barge for which he receives an additional compensation of \$20 per month during school terms. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and a library of books. Eleven sleeping-rooms, with eleven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., three men, five women, one boy. Two men do general chores; one woman does housework, three help a little. Ages: one between 2 and 5; one between 30 and 40; three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Seven inmates permanent, two tem-

porary. Three deaths during past year. Two men and two women mentally defective; one woman a cripple; one man mentally defective and crippled. One able-bodied inmate, a woman, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a woman. Thirteen acres of land; three acres ploughed; six acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$20,000. Total annual cost, \$2,108.87; net, \$1,149.77.

FALL RIVER. Population, 119,295.

Inspected July 24, 1913.

Warden, Andrew J. Dolan; salary, \$900; matron, Mrs. Dolan; salary, \$450; served here eight years. Seventeen assistants, thirteen men and four women, paid by city. Warden has separate cottage, with eight rooms and a bath-room. Separate building containing five wards, with sixty-six beds, set apart for hospital use. Four sitting-rooms, a nursery, and a smoking-room. Forty-seven sleeping-rooms and five dormitories, with two hundred and twenty-six beds. Five bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Twenty-one water-closets; four privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three hundred and thirty; largest number at one time, two hundred and twenty-nine; smallest number, one hundred and ninety-six. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and ninety-eight, viz., eighty-seven men, one hundred and two women, three boys, six girls. Six men do general farm work, fourteen work in house, eight do light chores; eight women help with housework; four do sewing and mending. Ages: four under 2; two between 2 and 5; three between 15 and 21; nine between 21 and 30; eleven between 30 and 40; nineteen between 40 and 50; thirty-four between 50 and 60; seventy-two between 60 and 70; forty between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90. One hundred and seventy-six inmates permanent, twenty-two temporary. Twenty deaths during past year. Five men and seven women mentally defective: one man and five women epileptic; twelve men and seven women cripples; two men and two women blind. Twenty-eight able-bodied inmates, twelve men and sixteen women, under sixty years of age. Six boarders, one man and five women. Five nurses, one man and four women. Forty-two and one-half acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, poultry, and hay.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$51,000. Total annual cost, \$51,182.35; net, \$45,373.34.

FALMOUTH. Population, 3,144.

Inspected August 8, 1913.

Warden, Frank L. Evans; matron, Mrs. Evans; salary, \$400; served here seven months. Warden has six rooms. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity and oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, sixteen; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, ten, viz., five men, five women. One man does general chores and helps in house, one does barn chores; one woman helps with housework, one helps with housework and does sewing. Ages: one between 30 and 40; three between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples; one man blind. One boarder, a man. Fifteen acres of land; two acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$1,872.85; net, \$1,545.46. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$380.

FITCHBURG. Population, 37,826.

Inspected April 15, 1913.

Warden, Ezra Coleman; salary, \$750; matron, Mrs. Coleman; salary, \$300; served here nine years. Warden also manages city store and delivers supplies to outdoor poor; additional compensation, \$300. Six assistants, three men and three women, paid by city. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with six beds, set apart for hospital use. Women use corridors as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Sixty-one sleeping-rooms, with seventy-nine beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Eight water-closets. Heating by hot water and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fifty-two; largest number at one time, forty-six; smallest number, thirty. Number at time of visitation, thirty-five, viz., twenty-five men, nine women, one girl. Six men do general farm work and chores, one works inside; two women help with housework. Ages: one under 2; one between 30 and 40; five between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; twelve between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; five between 80 and 90. Thirty-four inmates permanent, one temporary. Three deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective. Two nurses, one man and one

woman. Eighty-nine acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$47,901.89. Total annual cost, \$10,643.56; net, \$9,004.23. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$335.22.

FOXBOROUGH. Population, \$3,863.

Inspected March 18, 1913.

Warden, Harry E. Begor; matron, Mrs. Begor; salary, \$500; served here four years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet. Heating by stoves and hot water. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., two men, four women, one boy, one girl. One man brings in wood and cares for hens; one does barn chores; one woman washes dishes and cares for own room, one does housework. Ages: one under 2; one between 2 and 5; two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. Six inmates permanent, two temporary. Two women mentally defective; one man epileptic and crippled. One able-bodied inmate, a woman, under sixty years of age. One hundred and eighteen acres of land; ten acres ploughed; sixty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$3,994.97; net, \$1,988.02. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$100.

FRAMINGHAM. Population, 12,948.

Inspected May 7, 1913.

Warden, Arthur F. Hurder; matron, Mrs. Hurder; salary, \$780; served here one year and one month. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and a reading-room, with a library of books. Twenty sleeping-rooms, with thirty-two beds. One bath-room, with cold water only. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-eight; largest number at one time, twenty-two; smallest number, fifteen. Number at time of visitation, sixteen, viz., fourteen men, two women. Three men do general chores, two help in house, one cares for sick, one helps with washing; one woman mends.

Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. Fifteen inmates permanent, one temporary. Three deaths during past year. Two men mentally defective; one man and two women cripples; one man mentally defective and crippled. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. Eighty acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,800. Total annual cost, \$7,229.39; net, \$4,721.16. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$300.

FRANKLIN. Population, 5,641.

Inspected April 3, 1913.

Warden, Frank Barry; matron, Mrs. Barry; salary, \$500; served here one week. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., three men, two women. One woman helps a little. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Four deaths during past year. One man mentally defective and a cripple; one woman mentally defective. One hundred and five acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,000. Total annual cost, \$2,892.54; net, \$2,217.42. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$100.

GARDNER. Population, 14,699.

Inspected November 19, 1913.

Warden, Horace A. Austin; matron, Mrs. Austin; salary, \$600; served here one year and two months. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Two assistants, a man and a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, and two dormitories, with twenty-nine beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-two; largest number at one time, twenty-four; smallest number, eighteen. Number at time of visitation, eighteen,

viz., eleven men, seven women. Two men do general farm work, three help with washing, one does barn chores, one helps in house; all women care for own rooms, one washes and wipes dishes. Ages: one between 21 and 30; three between 50 and 60; eight between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man mentally defective; two men and one woman cripples; one woman mentally defective and crippled. Two boarders, one man and one woman, the latter partly paying. Four hundred acres of land; ten acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$19,191.84. Total annual cost, \$7,172.54; net, \$5,409.43.

GEORGETOWN. Population, 1,958.

Inspected June 27, 1913.

Warden, William T. Illsley; matron, Mrs. Illsley; salary, \$387.50; served here four and one-half years. Two assistants, one man, in summer, and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by stoves and hot water. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., five men, one woman. Two men do general chores, one helps in house. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man mentally defective. One boarder, a man. One hundred and twenty acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,311.21. Total annual cost, \$1,779.79; net, \$385.80. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$60.

GLOUCESTER. Population, 24,898.

Inspected August 22, 1913.

Matron, Mrs. William E. McDonald; salary, \$600; served here eight and one-half years. Matron also superintends delivery of wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Four assistants, women, paid by city; one man, paid by matron. Matron has six rooms and a bath-room. Brick building, with two wards and two rooms, with eleven beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirty-eight sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with fifty-eight beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Five water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam.

Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and twenty-five; largest number at one time, sixty; smallest number, thirty-eight. Number at time of visitation, fifty-five, viz., thirty-two men, twenty women, three girls. Four men do general chores, one works in house, three do general farm work; four women do housework, one does sewing and mending. Ages: two under 2; one between 15 and 21; two between 21 and 30; two between 30 and 40; four between 40 and 50; eight between 50 and 60; seventeen between 60 and 70; thirteen between 70 and 80; six between 80 and 90. Forty-nine inmates permanent, six temporary. Nine deaths during past year. Three men, two women, and one girl mentally defective; three men cripples; three men blind; one man and one woman mentally defective and cripples. Three able-bodied inmates, two men and one woman, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a man. Two consumptives, men, separated from other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. Two nurses, women. Twenty-three acres of land; three and one-half acres ploughed; thirteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$23,000. Total annual cost, \$10,484.38; net, \$9,878.52. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$600.

GRAFTON. Population, 5,705.

Inspected March 5, 1913.

Warden, Richard T. Kelley; matron, Mrs. Kelley; salary, \$600; served here ten months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has nine rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Sixteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty-three beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-eight; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, thirteen, viz., nine men, four women. Three men do general chores, two help in house; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. Twelve inmates permanent, one temporary. One woman mentally defective; three men cripples; one man blind. One boarder, a man. One hundred and four acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; 30 acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,110.50. Total annual cost, \$5,848.25; net, \$2,202.35. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,160.68.

GREENFIELD. Population, 10,427.

Inspected September 15, 1913.

Warden, Justus W. Stetson; matron, Mrs. Stetson; salary, \$700; served here five and one-half years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a reception-room, and a smoking-room. Eighteen sleeping-rooms, with eighteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by hot air. Lighting by electricity. Total number of inmates during year, thirteen; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven men. Two men do general chores, one cares for hens, two help in care of inmates' part. Ages: one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; two men cripples. Trained nurse on call. One hundred and twenty acres of land; twenty-three acres ploughed; eleven acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,000. Total annual cost, \$3,707.62; net, \$1,703.92. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$150.

GREENWICH. Population, 452.

Inspected October 13, 1913.

Warden, Fred M. Thrasher; matron, Mrs. Thrasher; salary, \$350; served here eight and one-half years. One occasional assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Four sleeping-rooms, with four beds. Four privies. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two, viz., one man, one woman. Woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 80 and 90. Both inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man a cripple. One able-bodied inmate, a woman, under sixty years of age. One hundred and sixty acres of land: seven acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,995. Total annual cost, \$1,684.71; net, \$297.91.

GROTON. Population, 2,155.

Inspected November 13, 1913.

Warden, Robert S. Trask; matron, Mrs. Trask; salary, \$700; served here two years and seven months. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room, also a library of books. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., three men, four women. One man does general chores, one does light chores; two women do housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and two women mentally defective; one man and two women cripples. One hundred and sixty-nine acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,000. Total annual cost, \$3,025.67; net, \$1,072.76.

GROVELAND. Population, 2,253.

Inspected June 27, 1913.

Warden, George E. Hills; matron, Mrs. Hills; served here seven years. Warden rents farm and boards the inmates. Warden has seven rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by stoves and hot water. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three men. One man does light chores. Ages: one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. Two men mentally defective. One hundred acres of land; nine acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,500. Total annual cost, \$3,327.67; net, \$2,861.48. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$125.

HANOVER. Population, 2,326.

Inspected June 24, 1913.

Warden, Fred W. Curtis; matron, Mrs. Curtis; salary, \$420; served here three months. Warden also serves as keeper of lockup, with no extra compensation. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with eight beds.

Three privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men, two women. One man does light chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple. Twenty and one-half acres of land; five acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: strawberries, vegetables, and milk.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,650. Total annual cost, \$1,845.98; net, \$1,611.83. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$155.83.

HANSON. Population, 1,854.

Inspected June 11, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Felch; matron, Mrs. Felch; salary, \$350; served here two months. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. Two sitting-rooms. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four women. Two women help with housework. Ages: two between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one woman epileptic; two women cripples. Fifty-eight acres of land; five acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,400. Total annual cost, \$1,548.21; net, \$1,116.05.

HARVARD. Population, 1,034.

Inspected November 15, 1913.

Warden, Harris A. Steele; matron, Mrs. Steele; salary, \$400; served here one year and seven months. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with six beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. Two men do light work. Ages: one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective and blind. One hundred and twenty-one acres of land; sixteen acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$2,400. Total annual cost, \$2,083.68; net, \$441.99.

HARWICH. Population, 2,115.

Inspected November 24, 1913.

Warden, Albert Hall; matron, Mrs. Hall; salary, \$250; served here seventeen years. Warden has four rooms. One sitting-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., three men, three women, one girl. One man does light chores, one chops wood and helps with washing; one repairs chairs; one woman helps a little with housework. Ages: one between 5 and 15; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Six inmates permanent, one temporary. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One tramp during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. Ten acres of land; one acre ploughed. Chief products: pork and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$1,190. Total annual cost, \$1,228.06; net, \$1,020.06. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$214.22.

HAVERHILL. Population, 44,115.

Inspected October 6, 1913.

Warden, Louis D. Savage; matron, Mrs. Savage; salary, \$1,500; served here twenty-six and one-half years. Warden also has charge of city wood yard and of certain city streets, without extra compensation. Fourteen assistants, four men and ten women, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. Four wards and twelve rooms, with sixty-four beds, and an operating room, set apart for hospital use; also four rooms, with eight beds, for contagious diseases. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Seventy-two sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with one hundred and twenty-one beds. Seven bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Thirteen water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and seventy-eight; largest number at one time, one hundred and ten; smallest number, eighty-two. Number at time of visitation, ninety, viz., sixty men, twenty-nine women, one girl. Ten men do general farm work, six do light chores, nine help inside; four women do general housework, three sew and mend, four work in laundry. Ages: one under 2; two between 21 and 30; six between 30 and 40; eleven between 40 and 50; sixteen between 50 and 60; twenty-five between 60 and 70; nineteen between 70 and 80; ten

between 80 and 90. Eighty-two inmates permanent, eight temporary. Three men and two women mentally defective; one man and three women cripples; four men and one woman blind. Fifteen able-bodied inmates, twelve men and three women, under sixty years of age. Three boarders, one man and two women. Sixteen nurses, women. One hundred and twenty acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; seventy-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$58,575. Total annual cost, \$23,855.16; net, \$20,759.70. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,118.87.

HINGHAM. Population, 4,965.

Inspected April 21, 1913.

Warden, Charles A. Rockwell; matron, Mrs. Rockwell; salary, \$700; served here two years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with sixteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, fifteen; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., seven men, four women. One man does barn chores; one tends heater; two women wash dishes and do light work. Ages: two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman epileptic; one man a cripple. Seventeen acres of land; six acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$24,399.55. Total annual cost, \$4,505.91; net, \$2,771.71. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$802.72.

HOLDEN. Population, 2,147.

(See Charlton.)

HOLLISTON. Population, 2,711.

Inspected April 25, 1913.

Warden, Stephen Barton; matron, Mrs. Barton; salary, \$550; served here one year, nine months. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with seventeen beds. No bath-room. Four privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-four; largest number at one time, fifteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of

visitation, eleven, viz., nine men, two women. One man does general chores; four help in house; two women help a little with housework. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Three deaths during past year. Three men mentally defective; three men and one woman cripples. Seven tramps during year, separated from other inmates, fed, but not lodged or required to work. Thirty-one acres of land; seven acres ploughed; six acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,600. Total annual cost, \$2,243.54; net, \$1,936.72. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$31.80.

HOLYOKE. Population, 57,730.

Inspected January 10, 1913.

Warden, John J. O'Connor; salary, \$1,000; matron, Mrs. O'Connor; salary, \$500; served here seven years. Sixteen assistants, eight men and eight women, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. Six wards and four rooms, with thirty-five beds, set apart for hospital use. Four sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Twenty-four sleeping-rooms and three dormitories, with one hundred and twenty-one beds. Ten bath-rooms and a shower bath, with hot and cold water. Twelve water-closets. Heating by hot air and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three hundred and fifty-three: largest number at one time, one hundred and forty-two: smallest number, one hundred and two. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and thirty-three, viz., eighty-three men, forty-seven women, one boy, two girls. Six men do general farm work, ten do light chores, ten help in house, eight help in laundry: ten women help with housework, two sew and mend, four work in laundry. Ages: one between 5 and 15; two between 15 and 21; five between 21 and 30; ten between 30 and 40; fifteen between 40 and 50; thirty-one between 50 and 60; twenty-nine between 60 and 70; thirty-four between 70 and 80; six between 80 and 90. Ninety-two inmates permanent, forty-one temporary. Sixty-two deaths during past year. Two men and three women mentally defective; four men and five women cripples: two men blind. Twenty-one able-bodied inmates, fifteen men and six women, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a woman. One man and one woman supported by the State. Three nurses, women. Seventy-eight acres of land; thirty acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$67.150. Total annual cost, \$25,970.63; net, \$24,127.65. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$26,347.

HOPKINTON. Population, 4,452.

Inspected March 1, 1913.

Warden, Fred L. Hawkins; matron, Mrs. Hawkins; salary, \$515; served here four years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Six sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with seventeen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-eight; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, twelve, viz., nine men, three women. Three men do general chores; one woman washes dishes and makes beds. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Eleven inmates permanent, one temporary. One death during past year. Two women mentally defective; two men cripples. One boarder, a man. One hundred and twenty-two acres of land; two acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$16,113.60. Total annual cost, \$2,752.47; net, \$1,782.65. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$75.

HUBBARDSTON. Population, 1,073.

(See Charlton.)

HUDSON. Population, 6,743.

Inspected June 22, 1913.

Warden, Enos H. Brown; matron, Mrs. Brown; salary, \$600; served here nine months. Three assistants, one man occasionally and two women, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-one sleeping-rooms, with seventeen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., seven men, four women. Two men do light chores; one woman does a little sewing. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; seven between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a woman. Eighty-four acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,500. Total annual cost, \$3,518.16; net, \$2,912.87. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$600.

HUNTINGTON. Population, 1,473.

Inspected October 9, 1913.

Almshouse used in common by Huntington and Chester. Warden, Peter McLean; matron, Mrs. McLean; salary, \$525; served here three years and seven months. Warden has six rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men, two women. One man helps with chores and brings in fuel; women do no work. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man epileptic; one woman a cripple. One boarder, a man. Two men supported by Huntington; two women by Chester. Two hundred acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,126.30. Total annual cost, \$1,789.34; net, \$726.49.

IPSWICH. Population, 5,777.

Inspected September 25, 1913.

Warden, J. Howard Gidney; matron, Mrs. Gidney; salary, \$600; served here one year and nine months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., five men, three women. Two men do chores; one woman helps a little. Ages: three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. Seven inmates permanent, one temporary. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple; one woman blind. One consumptive, a woman, separated from other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. Three hundred and sixty-five acres of land; forty acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$30,000. Total annual cost, \$3,941.75; net, \$2,651.54.

LANCASTER. Population, 2,464.

Inspected June 22, 1913.

Warden, Humphrey Dymont; matron, Mrs. Dymont; salary, \$500; served here three months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twenty sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., two men, four women. Two men do light chores; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; two between 60 and 70; two between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple; two women blind. One nurse, a woman. Thirty acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$34,450. Total annual cost, \$6,127.25; net, \$3,379.71. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$482.32.

LAWRENCE. Population, 85,992.

Inspected September 22, 1913.

Warden, John S. Todd; matron, Mrs. Todd; salary, \$2,500; served here nine months. Warden is also alderman and director of public health and charities. Head nurse, Mrs. Delia Belle Isle; salary, \$120; served here one and one-half years. Eight assistants, five men and three women, paid by city. Warden has ten rooms and a bath-room. Twelve rooms, four wards, with fifty-nine beds, and an operating room, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, two sewing-rooms, two smoking-rooms, and two reception-rooms. Sixty-one sleeping-rooms and four dormitories, with two hundred and eighteen beds. Twelve bath-rooms and shower-bath, with hot and cold water. Sixteen water-closets. Heating by hot air. Lighting by gas and electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, five hundred and eighty-one; largest number at one time, two hundred and nineteen; smallest number, one hundred and thirty-one. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and fifty, viz., sixty-two men, seventy-five women, eight boys, five girls. Six men do general farm work, four do light chores, five help in house; thirteen women help with housework, four do sewing and mending. Ages: five under 2; four between 2 and 5; four between 5 and 15; twenty-one between 21 and 30;

twenty-four between 30 and 40; thirty-five between 40 and 50; twenty between 50 and 60; twenty-five between 60 and 70; twelve between 70 and 80. One hundred and forty inmates permanent, ten temporary. Thirty-seven deaths during past year. Three men and two women mentally defective; one woman epileptic; two men and one woman cripples; one woman blind; one woman epileptic and crippled. Twenty-five able-bodied inmates, fifteen men and ten women, under sixty years of age. Nine boarders, four men and five women. Eight nurses, women. Thirty-seven acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; sixteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$153,425. Total annual cost, \$30,471.88; net, \$24,181.77. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,527.82.

LEE. Population, 4,106.

Inspected April 30, 1913.

Warden, Edward H. Kline; matron, Mrs. Kline; salary, \$600; served here one week. Warden also drives hearse, and has care of bridges and sluices, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man and a woman occasionally, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirteen; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., three men, six women. One man does barn chores, one does light chores; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple; one man blind; one woman epileptic and mentally defective. District nurse on call. Thirty-three acres of land; eight acres ploughed; sixteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$15,000. Total annual cost, \$3,111; net, \$3,111.

LEICESTER. Population, 3,237.

(See Charlton.)

LEOMINSTER. Population, 17,580.

Inspected July 14, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Hoyt; matron, Mrs. Hoyt; salary, \$650; served here three years and three months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-

room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-two sleeping-rooms, with twenty-two beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., eight men, one woman. One man does light chores, one helps in house. Ages: one between 30 and 40; three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Eight inmates permanent, one temporary. Two men and one woman mentally defective. One consumptive, a man, not separated from other inmates, but receiving special treatment. Ninety-three acres of land; eighteen acres ploughed; thirty-two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,000.00. Total annual cost, \$5,148.06; net, \$2,648.98. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$802.87.

LEXINGTON. Population, 4,918.

Inspected January 31, 1913.

Warden, Robert H. White; matron, Mrs. White; salary, \$600; served here twenty-nine years. Warden also has charge of town roads, without extra compensation. Two assistants, a man paid by town and a woman paid by warden. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., one man, three women. One man helps with farm work; one woman helps with housework, two care for their own rooms. Ages: one between 21 and 30; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective and crippled. One boarder, a woman. District nurse on call. Twenty-five acres of land; six acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,000. Total annual cost, \$2,787.17; net, \$1,258.40. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$157.30.

LOWELL. Population, 106,294.

Inspected September 11, 1913.

Warden, Michael J. Dowd; matron, Mrs. Dowd; salary, \$1,500; served here one year and two months. Assistant, John J. Mahoney; salary, \$750. Warden is also general superintendent of charities under City Charity Board. Eighteen assistants, twelve men and

six women, paid by city. Warden has ten rooms and a bath-room. Four wards and four rooms, with sixty-two beds, in separate building, and four wards, with thirty-eight beds, in main building, set apart for hospital use. Six sitting-rooms and a sewing-room. Three smoking-rooms and an assembly-room. Separate cottage used as nursery. One hundred and thirty-one sleeping-rooms and five dormitories, with four hundred and sixty beds. Five bath-rooms and a shower-bath, with hot and cold water. Thirty-six water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one thousand two hundred and eighty; largest number at one time, four hundred and sixty-seven; smallest number, three hundred and fifty-six. Number at time of visitation, three hundred and ninety, viz., one hundred and ninety-four men, one hundred and ninety-one women, three boys, two girls. Fifteen men work in male hospital, nineteen do chores about buildings, sixteen work on farm, three work in bakery, two in boiler house, three in storehouse, nine in laundry, three in institution kitchen, eight in male infirmary, one does painting, one works in barber shop, one in shoe shop, one a blacksmith, one in wood yard; eighteen women work in almshouse department, ten in women's hospital, seven in women's infirmary, eight in laundry, five in sewing-room, eight in institution kitchen. Ages: three under 2; one between 2 and 5; one between 5 and 15; six between 21 and 30; twenty-four between 30 and 40; forty-seven between 40 and 50; one hundred and one between 50 and 60; one hundred and eleven between 60 and 70; eighty between 70 and 80; sixteen between 80 and 90. Two hundred and sixty-four inmates permanent, one hundred and twenty-six temporary. Seven men and twenty-eight women mentally defective; one man and one woman epileptic; seventeen men and twenty-two women cripples. Twenty-two able-bodied inmates, fourteen men and eight women, under sixty years of age. Nine boarders, five men and four women. Five consumptives, three men and two women, partly separated from other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. Eight nurses, three men and five women. Ninety-three acres of land; thirty acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$227,000. Total annual cost. \$60,301.07; net, \$47,980.33. Cost of improvements and repairs. \$7,000.

LUNENBURG. Population, 1,393.

Inspected September 10, 1913.

Warden, Arthur W. Rockwood; matron, Mrs. Rockwood; salary, \$450; served here eleven and one-half years. One assistant, a woman, paid by warden. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room.

Eleven sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., four men, three women. One man does light chores, one does general chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. Thirty-three acres of land; five acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,027.32. Total annual cost, \$2,247.68; net, \$1,093.66.

LYNN. Population, 89,336.

Inspected February 10, 1913.

Warden, Henry H. Richardson; salary, \$800; matron, Mrs. Richardson; salary, \$400; served here six months. Nine assistants, five men and four women, paid by city. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. Four rooms, with twelve beds, set apart for hospital use. Five sitting-rooms, two sewing-rooms, one smoking-room and an assembly-room. Forty-two sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with one hundred and forty-three beds. Six bath-rooms and one shower, with hot and cold water. Nineteen water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and eighty-one; largest number at one time, one hundred and one; smallest number, eighty-seven. Number at time of visitation, ninety-eight, viz., fifty-four men, forty-two women, one boy, one girl. Six men do general farm work; ten do light chores; ten help inside; five women do housework, two sew and mend, four help in laundry. Ages: one under 2; one between 2 and 5; one between 21 and 30; five between 30 and 40; eight between 40 and 50; fourteen between 50 and 60; thirty-one between 60 and 70; twenty-seven between 70 and 80; eight between 80 and 90; two between 90 and 100. Eighty-one inmates permanent, seventeen temporary. Twenty-three deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; two men and two women cripples; two men blind. Fifteen able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. Two boarders, one man and one woman. Two nurses, one man and one woman. Forty-five acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; sixteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk, hay, and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$110,000. Total annual cost, \$16,567.29; net, \$14,947.52. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$566.45.

MALDEN. Population, 44,404.

Inspected January 2, 1913.

Warden, Anthony Humphries; matron, Mrs. Humphries; salary, \$800; served here three and one-half years. Four assistants, two men and two women, paid by city. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. One detached ward, with five beds, set apart for hospital use. One reading-room, with a library of books, and one smoking-room. Twenty-one sleeping-rooms and five dormitories, with sixty beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Six water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventy-nine; largest number at one time, forty-two; smallest number, thirty. Number at time of visitation, thirty-nine, viz., twenty-one men, eighteen women. One man cares for horse, one does painting and general repair work, four do light chores; two women do dishes, two do sewing and mending. Ages: one between 21 and 30; two between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; eighteen between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. Thirty-eight inmates permanent, one temporary. Nine deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; two men and one woman cripples; one man blind; one man blind and crippled. Two able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. One man supported by Everett; three men by Chelsea; one woman by Ayer. Two nurses, one man and one woman. Twenty acres of land; eleven acres ploughed; one acre tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$34,000. Total annual cost, \$9,592.49; net, \$7,703.66. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$812.66.

MANCHESTER. Population, 2,673.

Inspected August 23, 1913.

Warden, Wilbur B. Page; matron, Mrs. Page; salary, \$600; served here seven and one-half years. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. A library of books. Six sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., six men, three women. Four men do general chores, one does light chores; one woman sews and mends, two help with housework. Ages: five between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. Two men and one woman mentally de-

fective; one man a cripple; one man blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One woman supported by the State. Seven acres of land; four acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$18,000. Total annual cost, \$2,739.28; net, \$1,799.08.

MANSFIELD. Population, 5,183.

Inspected March 17, 1913.

Warden, Eugene S. Dodge; matron, Mrs. Dodge; salary, \$600; served here two years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, also used as a bath-room. The bath-tub supplied with cold water only. Eight sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Four privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., one man, four women. One man brings in wood; one woman washes dishes. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two women mentally defective. One consumptive, a woman, not separated from other inmates but receiving special treatment and diet. Ninety-one acres of land; four acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$4,676.78; net, \$1,616.48. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$180.58.

MARBLEHEAD. Population, 7,338.

Inspected March 14, 1913.

Warden, William H. Bassett; matron, Mrs. Bassett; salary, \$500; served here one and one-half years. Warden delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room and corridors used as sitting-rooms. One smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with thirty-two beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, forty; largest number at one time, thirty-nine; smallest number, thirty-three. Number at time of visitation, thirty-six, viz., thirty-one men, five women. Fifteen men saw wood and do light chores, two help in care of sick, one cares for heater, five help in house. Ages: three between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; thirteen between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100.

Thirty-one inmates permanent, five temporary. Two deaths during past year. Four men and two women mentally defective; two men and one woman cripples; one man and one woman blind; one man epileptic and crippled. Two able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. District nurse on call. Two acres of land and five acres hired; one and one-half acres ploughed; none tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,000. Total annual cost, \$3,766.38; net, \$3,135.18. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$362.86.

MARLBOROUGH. Population, 14,579.

Inspected May 10, 1913.

Warden, Barrett R. Wheeler; matron, Mrs. Wheeler; salary, \$650; served here three years. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by city. Warden has four rooms and a bathroom. One ward, with seven beds, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room, and a library of books. Ten sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with thirty-eight beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, fifty-four; largest number at one time, thirty-four; smallest number, twenty-eight. Number at time of visitation, thirty, viz., twenty-five men, four women, one boy. Five men do general farm work, two help in dining-room, two make beds, one works in hospital, one cares for farm; one woman does housework. Ages: one between 2 and 5; one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; nine between 50 and 60; eight between 60 and 70; nine between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Twenty-seven inmates permanent, three temporary. Two men and two women mentally defective; one man epileptic; three men and two women cripples; two men and one woman blind; one woman blind and crippled. Two able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. District nurse on call. Eighty acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,056.37. Total annual cost, \$7,569.50; net, \$5,513.43.

MARSHFIELD. Population, 1,738.

Inspected August 26, 1913.

Warden, Asa S. Grant; matron, Mrs. Grant; salary, \$300; served here two years and five months. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Two privies.

Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., two men, three women. One man does chores; two women help with housework. Ages: two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple. Four tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. Thirty acres of land; four acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,500. Total annual cost, \$1,428.21; net, \$1,374.58. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$61.91.

MATTAPOISETT. Population, 1,233.

Inspected August 27, 1913.

Warden, John R. Magilton; matron, Mrs. Magilton; salary, \$350; served here four years and six months. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two, viz., one man, one woman. Man does chores; woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50. Both inmates permanent. Both mentally defective. Ninety acres of land; five acres ploughed; three acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,000. Total annual cost, \$1,033.20; net, \$333.53. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$2.25.

MAYNARD. Population, 6,390.

Inspected June 4, 1913.

Warden, Ansley O. Dunham; matron, Mrs. Dunham; salary, \$500; served here eleven years. Two assistants, one man occasionally and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. One man does barn chores, one cares for cattle; one woman washes and wipes dishes. Ages: one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Thir-

teen acres of land; six acres ploughed; six acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$3,076.13; net, \$1,696.79.

MEDFORD. Population, 23,150.

Inspected January 13, 1913.

Warden, Edward Gowing; matron, Mrs. Gowing; salary, \$700; served here three years. Warden also serves as clerk of Overseers of the Poor, at a salary of \$300. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by city. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Twenty-seven sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty-six beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-six; largest number at one time, eighteen; smallest number, fifteen. Number at time of visitation, sixteen, viz., eight men and eight women. One man cares for heater, one does light chores and acts as barber, one helps in house, one helps with washing, one cares for horse. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Fifteen inmates permanent, one temporary. One death during past year. Two women feeble-minded; one man and four women cripples. District nurse on call. Sixteen acres of land; five acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$36,250. Total annual cost, \$5,056.03; net, \$4,198.53. Cost of repairs and improvements, \$197.77.

MEDWAY. Population, 2,696.

Inspected May 26, 1913.

Warden, George P. Nowlin; matron, Mrs. Nowlin; salary, \$500; served here four years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twelve sleeping rooms, with sixteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eleven; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., three men, four women. Two men help with chores and do inside work, one does light chores; women do no work. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and

100. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two men and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples; one woman deaf and dumb. Seven and one-half acres of land; three acres ploughed; three acres tilled. Chief products: poultry and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$11,884.30. Total annual cost, \$2,390; net, \$1,885.53. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$14.53.

MELROSE. Population, 15,715.

Inspected January 2, 1913.

Warden, Frank E. Mann; matron, Mrs. Mann; salary, \$600; served here one year and four months. One occasional assistant, a woman, paid by city. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and a library of books. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., two men, three women. One man cares for hens, one does barn chores; one woman makes beds, one does dishes. Ages: one between 30 and 40; two between 50 and 60; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples. Twelve acres of land; six acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,500. Total annual cost, \$2,423.80; net, \$2,006.39.

METHUEN. Population, 11,448.

Inspected February 3, 1913.

Warden, Harry D. Kelly; matron, Mrs. Kelly; salary, \$600; served here three and three-quarters years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, nineteen; largest number at one time, seventeen; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, two women, one girl. One man does chores, one helps inside; one woman does sewing and mending. Ages: one under 2; four between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90.

Five inmates permanent, one temporary. Five deaths during past year. One hundred and fifty acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; fifty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$15,353.71. Total annual cost, \$6,462.90; net, \$4,619.24. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$250.

MIDDLEBOROUGH. Population, 8,274.

Inspected March 4, 1913.

Warden, John H. Pushee; matron, Mrs. Pushee; salary, \$800; served here three years. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Four rooms, with three beds, set apart for hospital use. A sewing-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-two sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot water. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eighteen; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, thirteen. Number at time of visitation, thirteen, viz., nine men, four women. One man does general farm work, one works in laundry and brings in wood, one cares for cattle. Ages: three between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; three women cripples; one woman blind. Ninety acres of land; thirteen acres ploughed; twenty-one acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$26,135.25. Total annual cost, \$5,351.89; net, \$3,034.64.

MILFORD. Population, 13,055.

Inspected September 9, 1913.

Warden, John Dearth; matron, Mrs. Dearth; salary, \$720; served here five months. Three assistants, two men and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Seventeen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with forty-two beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, sixty-five; largest number at one time, forty-one; smallest number, thirty. Number at time of visitation, forty-one, viz., thirty-four men, seven women. Six men do general farm work, three help in house; two women help with housework, one does sewing and mending. Ages: two between 40 and 50; eight between 50 and 60; fifteen between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; six between 80 and 90; two between 90

and 100. Thirty-nine inmates permanent, two temporary. Five deaths during past year. Three men mentally defective; one man epileptic; three men and one woman cripples; one man blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a man. Two men supported by Hopedale. Two hundred acres of land; sixteen acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$23,596.55. Total annual cost, \$12,546.08; net, \$9,435.14.

MILLBURY. Population, 4,740.

Almshouse closed. Inmates provided for at Charlton.

MILTON. Population, 7,924.

Inspected August 13, 1913.

Warden, Calvin Sanford; matron, Mrs. Sanford; salary, \$600; served here ten years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., five men, two women. One man works in garden, one does general chores, one takes care of men's part, one helps in house. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two women mentally defective and crippled. Trained nurse on call. Thirty-nine acres of land: four acres ploughed; six acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$16,400. Total annual cost, \$3,016.13; net, \$2,739.40. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$157.84.

MONSON. Population, 4,758.

Inspected September 19, 1913.

Warden, Zachariah H. Wade; matron, Mrs. Wade; salary, \$700; served here one year and four months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty beds. One bath-room, with hot water only. Three privies. Heating by stoves and steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, nineteen; largest number at one time, four-

teen; smallest number, ten. Number at time of visitation, ten, viz., one man, seven women, two boys. Two women help with housework. Ages: one under 2; one between 2 and 5; one between 21 and 30; two between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80. Seven inmates permanent, three temporary. Two women mentally defective; one man blind. Two able-bodied inmates, women, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a woman. Two hundred acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,920. Total annual cost, \$2,200.57; net, \$232.81.

MONTAGUE. Population, 6,866.

Inspected September 17, 1913.

Warden, Morris H. O'Connell; matron, Mrs. O'Connell; salary, \$600; served here nine years. Warden also drives school barge, without extra compensation, and supplies wood to outdoor poor. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room, and a library of books. Seventeen sleeping-rooms, with seventeen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by stoves and steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, thirteen, viz., nine men, four women. One man does light chores. Ages: one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man blind. One woman supported by Erving. Two hundred acres of land; eight acres ploughed; one acre tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$3,782.83; net, \$3,219.92. Cost of improvements, \$377.11.

NANTUCKET. Population, 2,962.

Inspected August 7, 1913.

Warden, John R. Sylvia; salary, \$400; matron, Mrs. Sylvia; salary, \$300; served here seven years. Two assistants, women, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Two sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Thirty-five sleeping-rooms, with thirty-six beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirty;

largest number at one time, twenty-five; smallest number, eighteen. Number at time of visitation, eighteen, viz., eleven men, seven women. One man does general chores, one helps in house, one works outside, earning sufficient to clothe himself. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Four deaths during past year. Three men and three women mentally defective; one man a cripple; one man blind. Four boarders, one man and three women. Eight acres of land; one acre ploughed; one acre tilled. Chief products: vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$11,500. Total annual cost, \$3,981.65; net, \$2,990.04. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$179.80.

NATICK. Population, 9,866.

Inspected April 22, 1913.

Warden, Bartholomew J. Carroll: matron, Mrs. Carroll; salary, \$675; served here six years. Warden also superintends collection of garbage and delivers wood to outdoor poor. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and two smoking-rooms. Twenty-five sleeping-rooms, with twenty-seven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot air and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-three: largest number at one time, eighteen; smallest number, fourteen. Number at time of visitation, sixteen, viz., thirteen men, three women. Two men help in barn, one helps in house: one woman does sewing and mending. Ages: seven between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Three deaths during past year. One woman epileptic; one man and one woman cripples; one man blind. Eighty-five acres of land: twenty-nine acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$29,274.45. Total annual cost, \$7,425.92; net, \$4,660.72.

NEW BEDFORD. Population, 96,652.

Inspected June 18, 1913.

Warden, Thomas F. Brown; salary, \$1,000; matron, Mrs. Brown; salary, \$450; served here five and one-half years. Sixteen assistants, ten men and six women, paid by city. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. Separate building, with thirty-two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms for women, one for men, one

smoking-room, an assembly-room, and a library of books. Twenty-four sleeping-rooms, six dormitories, and six wards, with one hundred and twenty-five beds. Six bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Fifteen water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three hundred and fifty-two; largest number at one time, one hundred and fifty-nine; smallest number, one hundred and twenty-seven. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and forty-one, viz., eighty-four men, fifty-five women, one boy, one girl. Eight men do general farm work, ten help in house; eight women do general housework, four do sewing and mending. Ages: one between 2 and 5; one between 5 and 15; eleven between 21 and 30; eight between 30 and 40; thirty-five between 40 and 50; thirty between 50 and 60; thirty-three between 60 and 70; fifteen between 70 and 80; six between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. One hundred and thirty-nine inmates permanent, two temporary. Thirty-one deaths during past year. Fifteen men and eleven women mentally defective; three men and three women epileptic; thirty men and fifteen women cripples; two men and two women blind. Four able-bodied inmates, two men and two women, under sixty years of age. Four boarders, two men and two women. Five nurses, two men and three women. Seventy-seven acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$182,297.50. Total annual cost, \$34,869.20; net, \$31,314.09.

NEWBURYPORT. Population, 14,949.

Inspected March 10, 1913.

Warden, George H. Twombly; matron, Mrs. Twombly; salary, \$720; served here six years. Warden also delivers fuel to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Four assistants, two men and two women, paid by city. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with four beds, set apart for hospital use. A sitting-room, also used as a sewing-room, one smoking-room, a library of books, and an assembly-room. Thirty-six sleeping-rooms, with forty-one beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fifty-five; largest number at one time, thirty-nine; smallest number, thirty. Number at time of visitation, thirty-eight, viz., twenty-eight men, nine women, one boy. One man does general farm work, one cares for hens, three help in house; three women help with housework, one does sewing and mending. Ages: one under 2; one between 21 and 30; three between 40 and 50; five between

50 and 60; sixteen between 60 and 70; eleven between 70 and 80; one between 90 and 100. Twenty-eight inmates permanent; ten temporary. One death during past year. Four men and three women mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples; three men and one woman blind; one woman mentally defective and epileptic. Two able-bodied inmates, one man and one woman, under sixty years of age. Thirty acres of land; seven acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$43,027. Total annual cost, \$5,835.52; net, \$5,545.56. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$58.12.

NEWTON. Population, 39,806.

Inspected February 28, 1913.

Warden, John Ewart; matron, Mrs. Ewart; salary, \$1,000; served here one year. Warden also has charge of city store and delivery of supplies, without extra compensation. Four assistants, one man and three women, paid by city. Warden has twelve rooms and a bath-room. One room, with six beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room and a library of books. Dining-room used as an assembly-room. Twenty-eight sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with thirty-four beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Nine water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, forty-five; largest number at one time, thirty; smallest number, twenty-six. Number at time of visitation, twenty-six, viz., eleven men, fifteen women. Seven men do general farm work, one helps in house; four women help with housework, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 30 and 40; five between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; seven between 60 and 70; seven between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; two between 90 and 100. Twenty-four inmates permanent, two temporary. Five deaths during past year. One man and three women mentally defective; one man epileptic; one man and two women cripples; one woman blind; one woman epileptic and crippled. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One woman supported by Needham, one by Millis, and one by the State. Twenty-five acres of land; three acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$22,900. Total annual cost, \$7,620.54; net, \$7,131.72. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$648.22.

NORTH ADAMS. Population, 22,019.

Inspected October 7, 1913.

Warden, Henry W. Starks; matron, Miss Cora Starks; salary, \$750; served here eight and one-half years. Four assistants, two men (one occasionally) and two women, paid by city. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and two smoking-rooms. Nineteen sleeping-rooms, with forty-four beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Five water-closets. Heating by stoves and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, forty-one; largest number at one time, thirty-eight; smallest number, thirty-one. Number at time of visitation, thirty-two, viz., nineteen men, thirteen women. Three men do general chores, two work in laundry, two do cleaning, one cares for sick man; three women help with house-work, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; seven between 60 and 70; twelve between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. Two women mentally defective: one woman epileptic; one man a cripple; one man blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a man. Trained nurse on call. Three hundred acres of land; ten acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$20,000. Total annual cost, \$8,086.30; net, \$5,983.09. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$200.

NORTHAMPTON. Population, 19,431.

Inspected May 14, 1913.

Warden, Arthur B. Whitbeck; matron, Mrs. Whitbeck; salary, \$650; served here nine years. Two assistants, women, paid by city. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Three rooms, with three beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-two sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with twenty-nine beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, forty-three; largest number at one time, twenty-two; smallest number, sixteen. Number at time of visitation, seventeen, viz., eleven men, three women, one boy, two girls. Three men do general chores, two help in house; one woman washes and wipes dishes. Ages: one under 2; two between 15 and 21; two between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. Fourteen inmates permanent, three temporary. Three deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally

defective; one man a cripple; one woman blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. District nurse on call. Seven and three-quarters acres of land and two acres hired; two acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$21,449.81. Total annual cost, \$4,348.23; net, \$3,551.73. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$100.

NORTH ANDOVER. Population, 5,529.

Inspected July 7, 1913.

Warden, David D. Webb; matron, Mrs. Webb; salary \$600; served here three years and three months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, and a library of books. Nine sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. Two men do general chores, one helps in house; two women help with housework, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a woman. Ninety acres of land: thirteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$16,525. Total annual cost, \$4,398.15; net, \$3,197.39. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$528.09.

NORTH ATTLEBOROUGH. Population, 9,562.

Inspected April 23, 1913.

Warden, John J. Bleik; matron, Mrs. Bleik; salary \$600; served here eleven years. Warden also has charge of cesspools, and wood for schools and outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Four assistants, two men and two women, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Seventeen sleeping-rooms, with twenty-five beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-five; largest number at one time, twenty; smallest number, fourteen. Number at time of visitation, seventeen.

viz., twelve men, five women. Two men do general farm work, one helps in house, two help with washing; one woman washes dishes. Ages: one between 21 and 30; five between 50 and 60; six between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Three men and one woman mentally defective; one woman epileptic; one man and two women cripples. One boarder, a man. Sixty-six acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: milk, hay, and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$25,000. Total annual cost, \$8,594.04; net, \$3,216.83. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$230.65.

NORTHBRIDGE. Population, 8,807.

Inspected September 23, 1913.

Warden, Frank P. Cummings; matron, Mrs. Cummings; salary, \$500; served here one and one-half years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, sixteen; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine men. One man does general chores, one cares for hens, two do light chores, one helps in house, one prepares vegetables. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. Two men mentally defective; two men cripples. One hundred and fifty acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: cream and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,300. Total annual cost, \$3,162.62; net, \$1,836.65.

NORTH BROOKFIELD. Population, 3,075.

Inspected July 22, 1913.

Warden, Simon L. Lord; matron, Mrs. Lord; salary, \$700; served here six years and three months. Two assistants, a man, paid by town, and a woman, paid by warden. Warden has six rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty sleeping-rooms, with nineteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, seven; smallest

number, six. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., five men, two women. One woman does housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple; one man epileptic and mentally defective. Eighty acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,233.57. Total annual cost, \$2,689.33; net, \$1,658.78.

NORTH READING. Population, 1,059.

Inspected January 30, 1913.

Warden, Walter L. Emerson; matron, Mrs. Emerson; salary \$400; served here one and three-fourths years. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor and schools, without extra compensation. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has nine rooms. One sitting-room, also used as a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, two; largest number at one time, two; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men, permanent, between 80 and 90 years of age, who do no work. One man mentally defective. One hundred and twenty acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,000. Total annual cost, \$5,378.59; net, \$274.69. Cost of repairs and improvements, \$400.

NORWELL. Population, 1,410.

Inspected June 24, 1913.

Matron, Mrs. John S. Gardner; salary, \$300; served here four years and three months. Matron has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. Three privies. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by electricity and oil. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three men. Two men do light chores. Ages: two between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man supported by Scituate. Sixteen acres of land; three-quarters of an acre ploughed; eight acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,100. Total annual cost, \$1,211.83; net, \$936.75.

OAKHAM. Population, 552.

(See Charlton.)

OXFORD. Population, 3,361.

Inspected April 10, 1913.

Warden, William W. Sheldon; matron, Mrs. Sheldon; salary, \$500; served here three years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has nine rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., five men, two women. One man does chores, one helps in house. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; two men cripples. Two hundred and forty-five acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$9,900. Total annual cost, \$3,402.25; net, \$2,502.56. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,762.98.

PALMER. Population, 8,610.

Inspected April 17, 1913.

Warden, Benjamin Freeman; matron, Mrs. Freeman; salary, \$725; served here five years. One occasional assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eighteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with twenty-six beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty; largest number at one time, sixteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., ten men, one woman. Two men do barn chores, one helps in house, four help in laundry; one woman does housework. Ages: one between 21 and 30; two between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Five deaths during past year. Four men and one woman mentally defective. District nurse on call. Two hundred and twenty acres of land;

twenty acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: butter, vegetables, and hay.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,000. Total annual cost, \$1,085.21; net, \$3,019.27.

PAXTON. Population, 416.

(See Charlton.)

PEABODY. Population, 15,721.

Inspected July 12, 1913.

Warden, Thomas L. Cummings; salary, \$600; served here fourteen years; matron, Mrs. Cummings; salary, \$100; served here ten years. Warden also has charge of wood yard and delivers supplies to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Five assistants, four men and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with eight beds, set apart for hospital use. Corridors used as sitting-room. One smoking-room and an assembly-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with forty-four beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, forty; largest number at one time, thirty-seven; smallest number, thirty-four. Number at time of visitation, thirty-seven, viz., twenty-six men, eleven women. Nine men do general farm work, seven help in house; four women do housework. Ages: two between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; seven between 50 and 60; eighteen between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Thirty-six inmates permanent, one temporary. Four men and two women mentally defective: two men epileptics; three men and one woman cripples. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. Two boarders, men. Two women and one man supported by the State; four men and one woman supported by Danvers; one man by Middleton. Two hundred and four acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$18,400. Total annual cost, \$13,304.20; net, \$8,340.91. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$809.25.

PEMBROKE. Population, 1,336.

Inspected April 7, 1913.

Warden, Edwin T. Wright; matron, Mrs. Wright; salary, \$350; served here three years. Warden has three rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by

oil and candles. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. One man works on farm, one does chores; one woman helps a little with housework. Ages: two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One hundred acres of land; seven acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,000. Total annual cost, \$1,577.43; net, \$1,088.48.

PEPPERELL. Population, 2,953.

Inspected November 13, 1913.

Warden, Benjamin Parker; matron, Mrs. Parker; salary, \$500; served here two years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, thirteen; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. Two women help with housework. Ages: one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; one woman deformed and mentally defective. Sixty-five acres of land; ten acres ploughed; eighteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,195.81. Total annual cost, \$3,787.41; net, \$2,601.34. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,211.22.

PHILLIPSTON. Population, 425.

(See Charlton.)

PITTSFIELD. Population, 32,121.

Inspected October 8, 1913.

Warden, William W. Shaw; salary, \$700; served here twenty-eight years; matron, Mrs. Shaw; salary, \$200; served here nineteen years. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Five assistants, three men and two women, paid by city. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Forty-five sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with sixty-eight beds. Five bath-rooms, with hot and cold water.

Six water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and fifty-nine; largest number at one time, fifty-nine; smallest number, forty-eight. Number at time of visitation, forty-nine, viz., thirty-three men, eleven women, one boy, four girls. Six men do farm work, three work at wood pile, five work inside; six women help with housework. Ages: two under 2; one between 2 and 5; two between 15 and 21; four between 30 and 40; six between 40 and 50; five between 50 and 60; thirteen between 60 and 70; ten between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90; two between 90 and 100. Forty-two inmates permanent, seven temporary. Seven deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; two women epileptic; two men and one woman cripples. Two able-bodied inmates, one man and one woman, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a woman. Two men supported by the State; one man by Great Barrington; one man and one woman by Lenox. One consumptive, a woman, partly separated from other inmates, and receiving special treatment and diet. One hundred and forty-one acres of land: twenty-four acres ploughed; forty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$40,000. Total annual cost, \$9,500; net, \$8,369.86.

PLYMOUTH. Population, 12,141.

Inspected August 19, 1913.

Warden, Russell L. Dickson; matron, Mrs. Dickson: salary, \$600; served here six years and three months. Warden also serves as fire police officer at an additional compensation of \$20 per year. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Corridors used as sitting-rooms. One smoking-room and a barber shop. Eighteen sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, fifteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., eight men, three women. Three men do general chores, two help in house, all men care for own rooms; one woman sews and mends. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman epileptic; two men cripples. Two boarders, a man and a woman. District nurse on call. Nine acres of land; one and one-half acres ploughed; six acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$5,153.79; net, \$4,927.49. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$754.51.

PROVINCETOWN. Population, 4,369.

Inspected November 25, 1913.

Matron, Mrs. Lorena S. Dyer; salary, \$265; served here fourteen years. Matron has four rooms. Two sitting-rooms. Sixteen sleeping rooms, with fourteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, nine, viz., three men, six women. One man does chores and helps with washing; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One man and two women mentally defective; one man epileptic. Three boarders, women. One man supported by Lowell. One acre of land.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,500. Total annual cost, \$1,229.08; net, \$776.93. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$25.79.

QUINCY. Population, 32,642.

Inspected March 12, 1913.

Warden, William J. Vaughn; matron, Mrs. Vaughn; salary, \$750; served here nine years. Warden also keeps city store, without extra compensation. Two assistants, women, paid by city. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with four beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty sleeping-rooms, with thirty-two beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, sixty-five; largest number at one time, thirty-four; smallest number, sixteen. Number at time of visitation, fifteen, viz., nine men, six women. Six men do general chores, one helps in house, one cares for heater; two women do housework, one does sewing and mending. Ages: one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Fourteen inmates permanent, one temporary. Three men and one woman mentally defective; one man and two women cripples; one man blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. Two boarders, one man and one woman. Eleven acres of land; two acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$5,808.19; net, \$5,368.19. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$188.41.

RANDOLPH. Population, 4,301.

Inspected June 19, 1913.

Warden, Michael M. Sullivan; matron, Mrs. Sullivan; salary, \$500; served here seven years. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Nineteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty-five beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-six; largest number at one time, eighteen; smallest number, fifteen. Number at time of visitation, sixteen, viz., twelve men, four women. Two men do general chores, two help in house; women care for own rooms. Ages: one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; eight between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and three women mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a man. Eighteen acres of land; four acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,000. Total annual cost, \$3,407.03; net, \$2,219.53. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$629.04.

READING. Population, 5,818.

Inspected December 30, 1912.

Warden, Loring A. Deming; matron, Mrs. Deming; salary, \$500; served here nine months. One assistant, a woman, paid by warden. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One smoking-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eight; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., five men, one woman. Two men do chores; one woman helps a little. Ages: five between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; one man blind; one man mentally defective and crippled. Six acres of land; two and one-half acres ploughed. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,552.36. Total annual cost, \$2,768.11; net, \$785.96.

RICHMOND. Population, 650.

Inspected October 8, 1913.

Matron, Miss Cora Chapman; salary, \$156; served here fifteen and one-half years. Matron has two rooms. One sitting-room. Four sleeping-rooms, with four beds. One privy. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two, viz., one man, one woman. One man does chores; woman does housework. Ages: two between 70 and 80. Both inmates permanent. Sixty acres of land.

Almshouse leased. Total annual cost, \$544.52; net, \$544.52.

ROCKLAND. Population, 6,928.

Inspected May 8, 1913.

Warden, Charles W. Wyatt; matron, Mrs. Wyatt; salary, \$600; served here one month. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twenty sleeping-rooms, with twenty beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Five water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, sixteen; smallest number, eight. Number at time of visitation, eight, viz., six men, two women. One man takes care of barn, one does general chores, one helps in house, two help with washing; women do no work. Ages: one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; two men and one woman cripples. One nurse, a woman. Nine acres of land, also two acres rented; two acres ploughed; four acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,000. Total annual cost, \$3,442.64; net, \$2,664.83.

ROCKPORT. Population, 4,211.

Inspected May 27, 1913.

Warden, J. Howard Poole; salary, \$400; served here one year and eight months; matron, Mrs. L. M. Barr; salary, \$336; served here one year and six months. Warden has seven rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room, also a reception room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. One bath-room, with cold water only.

Two water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity and oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fifteen; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., nine men, two women. One man does the cooking, one helps in house, two do general chores; one woman sweeps and makes beds. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; four between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple; one man mentally defective, deaf and dumb. One boarder, a man. Four acres of land; one and one-half acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,500. Total annual cost, \$3,143.18; net, \$2,318.41.

ROWLEY. Population, 1,368.

Inspected February 17, 1913.

Matron, Mrs. Mary E. Kneeland; salary, \$156; served here one year. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Matron has three rooms. Four sleeping-rooms, with three beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men. Ages: one between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90. Two inmates permanent. One man crippled and blind. One acre of land; a small garden ploughed.

Almshouse property leased by town. Total annual cost, \$919.77; net, \$919.77.

SALEM. Population, 43,697.

Inspected January 17, 1913.

Warden, Stephen F. Tracey; matron, Mrs. Tracey; salary, \$1,200; served here twelve years. Warden also has charge of city store and delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Seven assistants, four men and three women, paid by city. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One ward and two rooms, with sixteen beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, a smoking-room and an assembly-room; also a nursery with six cribs and two beds. Twenty-five sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with ninety-two beds. Six bath-rooms and two showers, with hot and cold water. Ten water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, one hundred and sixty-two; largest number at one time, seventy-eight; smallest number, sixty-three. Number at time of visitation, seventy-four, viz., forty-two men, twenty-nine

women, two boys, one girl. Four men do general farm work, three do light chores, one works in store, six do inside work; six women help with housework, two sew and mend. Ages: three under 2; three between 21 and 30; two between 30 and 40; eight between 40 and 50; seventeen between 50 and 60; eighteen between 60 and 70; ten between 70 and 80; eight between 80 and 90; five between 90 and 100. Seventy inmates permanent, four temporary. Two men and three women mentally defective; three men and three women cripples; one woman blind; one woman crippled and blind. Five able-bodied inmates, men, under sixty years of age. Four nurses, women. Forty-five acres of land; six acres ploughed; twenty-nine acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$103,600. Total annual cost, \$19,314.14; net, \$18,891.32. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,551.54.

SAUGUS. Population, 8,047.

Inspected January 14, 1913.

Warden, Carl F. Koch; salary, \$600; matron, Mrs. Koch; salary, \$100; served here five years. Four assistants, three men and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. One bath-room, with cold water only. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during the year, nine; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., four men, three women. Three men do general chores; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 40 and 50; two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man mentally defective; one woman a cripple. Two tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, and required to work. Two hundred and forty acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$34,220. Total annual cost, \$9,540.58; net, \$410.26. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$101.

SEEKONK. Population, 2,397.

Inspected August 12, 1913.

Warden, James H. Reynolds; matron, Mrs. Reynolds; salary, \$400; served here six months. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, three men, who do no work. Ages: one between 50 and 60;

one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man, a cripple. Two men supported by Rehoboth. Ninety acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$9,000. Total annual cost, \$2,435.83; excess of receipts over expenditures, \$56.48.

SHARON. Population, 3,210.

Inspected October 1, 1913.

Warden, George O. Nason; matron, Mrs. Nason; salary, \$550; served here six years. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One privy. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. One man helps in the house. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples. One hundred acres of land; seven acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$1,000. Total annual cost, \$2,609.11; net, \$1,321.78. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$195.

SHERBORN. Population, 1,420.

Inspected May 20, 1913.

Warden, Arthur L. Houghton; matron, Mrs. Houghton; salary, \$400; served here four years. Warden has four rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men, two women. Ages: one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a man. One man and one woman supported by Medfield. Two tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, and one required to work. Four and one-half acres of land; one acre ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,700. Total annual cost, \$1,259.80; net, \$361.42. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$20.

SHREWSBURY. Population, 1,946.

Inspected April 8, 1913.

Warden, Walter W. Clark; matron, Mrs. Clark; served here five years. Warden rents farm from town for \$150 per annum, and boards inmates for \$4.25 per week each. Warden has five rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., one man, three women. One woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during the past year. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. Sixteen acres of land; five acres ploughed; eleven acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,600.

SOMERSET. Population, 2,798.

Inspected August 12, 1913.

Warden, William G. Fleck; matron, Mrs. Fleck; salary, \$200; served here one year and five months. Warden also has charge of section of town's highways for which extra compensation is received. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. Two privies. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eleven; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., three men, four women. One man does chores; one woman washes dishes. Ages: two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; two men and one woman cripples. One boarder, a woman. Ninety-three acres of land; one and one-half acres ploughed. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$1,773.84; net, \$1,657.34. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$431.04.

SOMERVILLE. Population, 77,236.

Inspected September 11, 1913.

Warden, J. Foster Colquhoun; salary, \$850; matron, Mrs. Colquhoun; salary, \$500; served here fourteen and one-half years. Six assistants, three men, one woman, and two women occasionally, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. Six rooms and two wards, with twelve beds, set apart for hospital use. Three sitting-rooms, a smoking-room and a library of books. Twenty-eight sleeping-rooms and four dormitories, with thirty-nine beds. Six bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Nine water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, fifty-one; largest number at one time, fifty-one; smallest number, thirty-two. Number at time of visitation, thirty-two, viz., fifteen men, seventeen women. Three men care for pigs, two nail boxes for shipping plants, two work on drives and lawns, one cares for flowers, one works in greenhouse, one works in stable, five help in house; one woman washes dishes and helps in sewing, three wipe dishes, two set tables and sweep. Ages: four between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; eight between 50 and 60; seven between 60 and 70; eleven between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. Four deaths during past year. One man mentally defective; one woman a cripple; one man blind. One man and one woman supported by Everett. Eight and one-half acres of land; eight acres ploughed; none tilled. Chief products: plants for market, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$34,600. Total annual cost, \$10,262.13; net, \$5,161.45. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$7,957.54.

SOUTHBRIDGE. Population, 12,592.

Inspected June 30, 1913.

Warden, Joseph N. Payant; matron, Mrs. Payant; salary, \$600; served here six months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has eleven rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Thirty sleeping-rooms, with thirty beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, nineteen; smallest number, eighteen. Number at time of visitation, nineteen, viz., twelve men, six women, one boy. Six men help with general farm work, two help inside and with the washing; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 15 and 21; one between 30 and 40; three between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; six between 60

and 70; five between 70 and 80; two between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; one man and one boy cripples; one man deaf and dumb. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a woman. Seventy-five acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$4,395.71; net, \$3,589.10. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$142.10.

SOUTH HADLEY. Population, 4,894.

Inspected October 9, 1913.

Warden, George E. Hunt; matron, Mrs. Hunt; salary, \$500; served here one year and two months. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, fourteen; largest number at one time, nine; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., three men, four women. One man does general work; one woman helps with housework. Ages: two between 50 and 60; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective. Two boarders, men. Forty-five acres of land; five acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$5,000. Total annual cost, \$2,760.08; net, \$1,652.15. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$300.

SPENCER. Population, 6,740.

Inspected September 3, 1913.

Warden, Frank E. Parker; matron, Mrs. Parker; salary, \$500; served here four and one-half years. Three assistants, one man and two women, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room and a library of books. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with seventeen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-three; largest number at one time, twenty; smallest number, ten. Number at time of visitation, ten, viz., six men, four women. One man does general farm work, one cares for heater, one helps in house; one woman cares for dining-room, one does chamber work. Ages: one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and

70; four between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Three deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one woman blind. Two hundred and forty acres of land; twenty acres ploughed; forty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$12,191.75. Total annual cost, \$5,853.65; net, \$2,949.12. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$225.

SPRINGFIELD. Population, 88,926.

Inspected November 17, 1913.

Warden, Lyman W. Sexton; salary, \$1,200; served here twenty-five years; matron, Mrs. Mabel French; salary, \$480; served here two and one-half years. Ten assistants, seven men and three women, paid by city. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room. First floor of former insane building set apart for hospital use. Four sitting-rooms, two smoking-rooms, a library of books, and an assembly-room. Sixty-one sleeping-rooms, four dormitories, and two wards, with one hundred and fifty-four beds. Fourteen bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Nineteen water-closets. Heating by hot air and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, four hundred and seventy; largest number at one time, one hundred and fifty-three; smallest number, one hundred and eighteen. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and twenty-seven, viz., sixty-five men, fifty-eight women, two boys, two girls. Two men do general farm work, five do light chores, seven help in house; twelve women help with housework, two sew and mend. Ages: two under 2; two between 2 and 5; five between 21 and 30; six between 30 and 40; sixteen between 40 and 50; twenty-four between 50 and 60; thirty-two between 60 and 70; thirty between 70 and 80; ten between 80 and 90. One hundred and six inmates permanent, twenty-one temporary. Fifty-nine deaths during past year. Two men and two women mentally defective; five men and seven women cripples. Thirteen able-bodied inmates, twelve men and one woman, under sixty years of age. Five nurses, two men and three women. Fifty acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$160,170. Total annual cost, \$31,144.05; net, \$22,315.87. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$38,000.

STOCKBRIDGE. Population, 1,933.

Inspected October 8, 1913.

Warden, Charles J. Belknap; matron, Mrs. Belknap; salary, \$500; served here eight years. Warden has three rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-

room and a smoking-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two, viz., one man, one woman. Man does chores, woman cares for own room. Ages: two between 60 and 70. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman cripples. Five acres of land; one and one-half acres ploughed; two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,000. Total annual cost, \$1,990.69; net, \$1,795.84. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$152.

STONEHAM. Population, 7,090.

Inspected January 6, 1913.

Warden, James H. White; matron, Mrs. White; salary, \$720; served here six years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms and a smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with eighteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty; largest number at one time, fifteen; smallest number, eleven. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., eight men, three women. Three men do general chores, two help in house. Ages: three between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two men mentally defective; one man a cripple. One boarder, a man. Twenty-five acres of land; three acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$24,017.54. Total annual cost, \$5,981.72; net, \$1,661.12. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$435.30.

STOUGHTON. Population, 6,316.

Inspected June 2, 1913.

Warden, Dennis Kelley; matron, Mrs. Kelley; salary, \$500; served here seven years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms, with fourteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, nine. Number at time of visitation, ten, men. One man does

general farm work; one helps in house. Ages: two between 40 and 50; four between 50 and 60; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Three men mentally defective; two men cripples; one man blind. Eighty acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,478. Total annual cost, \$5,156.06; net, \$2,624.59. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$331.

Stow. Population, 1,115.

Inspected June 4, 1913.

Warden, William W. Hern; matron, Miss Annie Hern; salary, \$480; served here five years and five months. Warden has five rooms. One sitting-room. Six sleeping-rooms, with six beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two women. One woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 80 and 90. Both inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective. Twenty-one tramps during the year, separated from other inmates, fed, lodged, not required to work. One hundred acres of land; ten acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,000. Total annual cost, \$2,427.74; net, \$706.28.

STURBRIDGE. Population, 1,957.

Inspected April 17, 1913.

Warden, Dennis Murphy; matron, Mrs. Murphy; salary, \$450; served here two years. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. One man does light chores, one helps in house; one woman cares for invalid. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one woman a cripple. Two boarders, women. Five tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, required to work. One hundred acres of land; seven acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,759.94. Total annual cost, \$1,696.46; net, \$1,526.79.

SUDBURY. Population, 1,120.

Inspected June 4, 1913.

Warden, Charles H. Palmer; matron, Mrs. Palmer; salary, \$425; served here one year, one month. Warden has seven rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with six beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., three men, one woman. One man does general chores, one does barn chores. Ages: one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple; one man blind. One tramp during the year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, required to work. One hundred acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,364.62. Total annual cost, \$1,599.86; net, \$387.76. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$11.20.

SUTTON. Population, 3,078.

Inspected August 4, 1913.

Warden, Erastus C. Plummer; matron, Mrs. Plummer; salary, \$550; served here two years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, supplied with hot and cold water in winter, cold only in summer. Two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, nine; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., four men, one woman. One man does barn chores and helps with washing, one helps in house; one woman cares for dining-room. Ages: one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man a cripple; one man blind. One hundred and forty-four acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,747.95. Total annual cost, \$2,819.16; net, \$901.72.

SWANSEA. Population, 1,978.

Inspected August 12, 1913.

Warden, Andrew P. Campbell; matron, Mrs. Campbell; salary, \$425; served here twelve and one-half years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One sitting-room. Four

sleeping-rooms, with four beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet. Heating by hot water. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number at one time, one. Number at time of visitation, one woman, between 60 and 70 years of age, who does no work; permanent; mentally defective and a cripple. Seven tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. One hundred and twenty acres of land; fifty acres ploughed; eighteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$8,282.80. Total annual cost, \$2,115.20; net, \$255.02. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$204.16.

TAUNTON. Population, 34,259.

Inspected March 21, 1913.

Warden, Allen A. Thayer; matron, Mrs. Thayer; salary, \$900; served here one year and nine months. Warden also has charge of city garbage collection, without extra compensation. Six assistants, two men and four women, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. Two wards and two rooms, with nineteen beds, set apart for hospital use. No sitting-room. One smoking-room. Sixteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with sixty-nine beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Five water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, two hundred and sixty-one; largest number at one time, eighty-eight; smallest number, sixty-six. Number at time of visitation, seventy-nine, viz., fifty-nine men, twenty women. Six men help in piggery, three help in barn, three in laundry, two help inside, three work at wood pile, one helps in hospital room; two women work in kitchen, one sews and mends. Ages: two between 30 and 40; twelve between 40 and 50; twenty-six between 50 and 60; twenty-eight between 60 and 70; eleven between 70 and 80. Sixty-one inmates permanent, eighteen temporary. Twelve deaths during past year. Five men and three women mentally defective; five men and three women cripples; one man and one woman blind; one man deaf and dumb; one man mentally defective and blind. Eight able-bodied inmates, seven men and one woman, under sixty years of age. One woman boarded by Lakeville; one man by Berkley. Three consumptives, one man and two women, not separated from the other inmates, but receiving special treatment and diet. One hundred and sixty-five acres of land; forty acres ploughed; forty acres tilled. Chief products: milk, hay, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$60,000. Total annual cost, \$16,741.59; net, \$10,290.92. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$510.32.

TEWKSBURY. Population, 3,750.

Inspected November 21, 1913.

Warden, Oscar J. Darby; matron, Mrs. Darby; salary, \$600; served here five years and seven months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. One man does chores, one works in house. Ages: two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man mentally defective; one woman a cripple. Ninety-three acres of land; nineteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$14,298.05. Total annual cost, \$3,357.21; net, \$200. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$386.32.

TOWNSEND. Population, 1,761.

Inspected November 13, 1913.

Warden, Charles G. Allen; matron, Mrs. Allen; salary, \$450; served here seven months. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with eleven beds. Three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, five; largest number at one time, five; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, five, viz., two men, three women. One man does light chores; one woman does housework, one sews and mends. Ages: two between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; one between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Two women mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples. One hundred and ninety acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,115.87. Total annual cost, \$2,420.75; net, \$1,121.

UPTON. Population, 2,071.

Inspected April 22, 1913.

Warden, George H. Clapp; matron, Mrs. Clapp; salary, \$400; served here three weeks. Previous service here, three years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has

six rooms. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by hot air. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, eleven; largest number at one time, eight; smallest number, six. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., three men, three women. One man does general chores, one does housework; women do no work. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. Four deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective. Two hundred and thirty-five acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; thirty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,370. Total annual cost, \$2,431.23; net, \$1,241.76.

UXBRIDGE. Population, 4,671.

Inspected June 10, 1913.

Warden, Louis E. Hoisington; matron, Mrs. Hoisington; salary, \$450; served here two months. Warden has four rooms. One room, with one bed, also lavatory and toilet, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Eight sleeping-rooms, with eight beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, ten; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, six, viz., two men, four women. One man works at wood pile, one does light chores; two women help with housework. Ages: two between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80. All inmates permanent. One woman a cripple; one man blind. Seventy acres of land; twelve acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,000. Total annual cost, \$1,970.17; net, \$1,719.67. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$354.33.

WAKEFIELD. Population, 11,404.

Inspected April 2, 1913.

Warden, Charles H. Colwell; matron, Mrs. Colwell; salary, \$650; served here two days. Four assistants, two men and two women, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with sixteen beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventeen; largest number at one

time; sixteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, fifteen, viz., eight men, six women, one boy. Three men do general chores, one helps in house; two women do housework. Ages: one under 2; two between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; two between 90 and 100. Twelve inmates permanent, three temporary. Two men mentally defective. Two able-bodied inmates, a man and a woman, under sixty years of age. Ninety acres of land; thirty acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$29,000. Total annual cost, \$8,675.80; net, \$4,388.52. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$821.31.

WALTHAM. Population, 27,834.

Inspected September 2, 1913.

Warden, Harrison H. Bumford; matron, Mrs. Bumford; salary, \$1,000; served here thirty-one years. Warden also delivers supplies to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with four beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and a library of books. Forty-two sleeping-rooms, with forty-seven beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Eight water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-eight; largest number at one time, twenty-six; smallest number, twenty-two. Number at time of visitation, twenty-six, viz., fourteen men, eleven women, one girl. Four men do general farm work; three women help with housework, one sews and mends. Ages: one between 2 and 5; one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; five between 50 and 60; six between 60 and 70; eight between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Twenty-five inmates permanent, one temporary. One death during past year. One man and two women mentally defective; three men and two women cripples. One able-bodied inmate, a woman, under sixty years of age. Seventeen acres of land; six acres ploughed; four acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$36,000. Total annual cost, \$4,447.65; net, \$4,419.65. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$626.27.

WARE. Population, 8,774.

Inspected February 21, 1913.

Warden, Elmer Peeso; matron, Mrs. Peeso; salary, \$700; served here six years. One assistant, a woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. Two rooms, with two beds, set

apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Twenty-four sleeping-rooms, with twenty-four beds. Four bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by gas. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-three; largest number at one time, fourteen; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation, fourteen, viz., seven men, five women, one boy, one girl. Three men do general farm work, two help in house; two women help with housework, one sews and mends. Ages: two between 2 and 5; two between 30 and 40; three between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; two between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. Nine inmates permanent; five temporary. One death during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man and one woman cripples; one man blind. One able-bodied inmate, a woman, under sixty years of age. One boarder, a man. Seventeen acres of land; six acres ploughed; four acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$22,746.79. Total annual cost, \$3,201.03; net, \$2,259.63. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$263.99.

WAREHAM. Population, 4,102.

Inspected August 5, 1913.

Warden, Dominic McLaughlin; matron, Mrs. McLaughlin; salary, \$250; served here three weeks. Warden has four rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Fourteen sleeping-rooms and one dormitory, with fifteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. No separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventeen; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, eight. Number at time of visitation, eleven, viz., nine men, two women. One man cares for hens, three help with washing, one helps in kitchen; women do no work. Ages: one between 50 and 60; two between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Two deaths during past year. One man mentally defective; three men and one woman cripples. Two boarders, men. One man supported by Marion: one by Falmouth. Twenty-one tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, required to work. Four and one-half acres of land; one and one-half acres ploughed; three acres tilled. Chief products: vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,650. Total annual cost, \$1,556.03; net, \$1,061.90. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$284.97.

WARREN. Population, 4,188.

Inspected October 10, 1913.

Warden, Carl M. Wheeler; matron, Mrs. Wheeler; salary, \$650; served here three and one-half years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. One smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with eleven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twelve; largest number at one time, twelve; smallest number, ten. Number at time of visitation, ten, viz., five men, four women, one boy. One man does general farm work, one washes milk cans, one helps in house; two women help with housework. Ages: one between 5 and 15; one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. Nine inmates permanent, two temporary. Two men and two women mentally defective; one man blind. Two hundred and sixteen acres of land; ten acres ploughed; seventy-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,205.64. Total annual cost, \$2,995.27; net, \$1,201.11.

WATERTOWN. Population, 12,875.

Inspected January 15, 1913.

Warden, George H. White; matron, Mrs. White; salary, \$624; served here five and three-quarters years. Warden has charge of town wood yard and delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man occasionally and one woman, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with four beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Eleven sleeping-rooms, with twenty-five beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by hot air and steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-nine; largest number at one time, eighteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, seventeen, viz., five men, seven women, one boy, four girls. One man does light chores; two women help with housework. Ages: two under 2; two between 2 and 5; one between 15 and 21; one between 21 and 30; one between 30 and 40; two between 40 and 50; two between 50 and 60; five between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80. Twelve inmates permanent, five temporary. One woman mentally defective; two men cripples. Two able-bodied inmates, one man and one

woman, under sixty years of age. Two girls supported by Belmont. Three and one-half acres of land; two and one-quarter acres ploughed. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$39,000. Total annual cost, \$3,749.86; net, \$2,277.87. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$257.68.

WEBSTER. Population, 11,509.

Inspected April 10, 1913.

Warden, Walter K. Armstrong; matron, Mrs. Armstrong; salary, \$600; served here three years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as a sitting-room. One smoking-room. Twenty-one sleeping-rooms, with twenty-seven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-two; largest number at one time, twenty-four; smallest number, twenty-one. Number at time of visitation, twenty-three, viz., eighteen men, five women. Two men do general farm work, one does chores, two work at wood pile, two help with housework, three help with washing; two women do housework. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; five between 50 and 60; seven between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; three between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. Twenty-two inmates permanent, one temporary. Two deaths during past year. Two men and one woman mentally defective; three men cripples; two men and one woman blind; one man deaf and dumb. Six men and one woman supported by Dudley. One tramp during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. One hundred acres of land; twenty-five acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,728.20. Total annual cost, \$5,761.02; net, \$2,651.17. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$312.62.

WEST BOYLSTON. Population, 1,270.

Inspected June 12, 1913.

Warden, Myron D. Potter; matron, Mrs. Potter; salary, \$650; served here ten years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with eleven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets; one privy. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, eleven; largest number at one time, eleven; smallest number, seven. Number at time of visitation,

seven, viz., two men, five women. One man does light chores; two women wash and wipe dishes. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 60 and 70; four between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One man and one woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. One hundred and twenty-six acres of land; twenty-two acres ploughed; twenty acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$16,040.36. Total annual cost, \$4,297.33; net, \$1,144.45. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$146.21.

WEST BRIDGEWATER. Population, 2,231.

Inspected February 18, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Felch; matron, Mrs. Felch; salary, \$400; served here four years. Warden also drives school barge, without extra compensation. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with twelve beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, two. Number at time of visitation, two men. One man brings in wood. Ages: two between 60 and 70. Both inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective. One boarder, a man. Ninety-three acres of land; eight acres ploughed; thirty-three acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$3,847.10. Total annual cost, \$2,932.84; net, \$993.95.

WEST BROOKFIELD. Population, 1,327.

Inspected July 22, 1913.

Warden, Elmer Potter; matron, Mrs. Potter; salary, \$500; served here four months. Warden also delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. One assistant, a man, paid by the town. Warden has seven rooms. One sitting-room and a library of books. Seven sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water in winter, cold water in summer. Two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, one man, between 80 and 90 years of age; permanent; does light chores. One hundred and fifty-six acres of land; ten acres ploughed; twelve acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,275. Total annual cost, \$2,941.50; net, \$1,319. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$260.

WESTBOROUGH. Population, 5,446.

Inspected May 13, 1913.

Warden, Richard H. Buzzell; matron, Mrs. Buzzell; salary, \$600; served here seven months. Warden has seven rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room and a smoking-room. Fifteen sleeping-rooms, with twenty-seven beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, nineteen; largest number at one time, thirteen; smallest number, eight. Number at time of visitation, ten, viz., six men, four women. One man does general chores, one does barn chores, one helps in men's dining-room; one woman helps with housework; one cares for women's dining-room, all women care for own rooms. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; four between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 70 and 80; two between 80 and 90. Nine inmates permanent, one temporary. One man and one woman mentally defective; two men cripples; one man blind. One boarder, a man. Fourteen acres of land; seven acres ploughed; five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,241.28. Total annual cost, \$2,572.80; net, \$2,065.75.

WESTFIELD. Population, 16,044.

Inspected May 15, 1913.

Warden, Charles E. Hatsall; matron, Mrs. Hatsall; salary, \$700; served here ten years. Five assistants, three men and two women, paid by town. Warden has seven rooms. A separate building, with three rooms and three beds, a water-closet and lavatory set apart for hospital use. Corridors used as sitting-rooms. One smoking-room and a library of books. Forty sleeping-rooms and three dormitories, with forty beds. Two bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Seven water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, thirty-eight; largest number at one time, twenty-six; smallest number, twenty-three. Number at time of visitation, twenty-four, viz., fourteen men, ten women. One man does general chores, one helps with washing; one woman does general housework, two prepare vegetables. Ages: one between 40 and 50; nine between 60 and 70; six between 70 and 80; seven between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. Three deaths during past year. One man and one woman mentally defective; three men and one woman cripples; one man blind. One boarder, a man. Two nurses, one man and one woman. Sixty tramps during year, sep-

arated from other inmates, fed only. One hundred and fifty acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk, butter, vegetables, and poultry.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$13,750. Total annual cost, \$8,097.41; net, \$7,599.51. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$1,586.03.

WESTFORD. Population, 2,851.

Inspected April 14, 1913.

Warden, Harry W. Barnes; matron, Mrs. Barnes; salary, \$500; served here one year. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Thirteen sleeping-rooms, with thirteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. Two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes, except at meals. Total number of inmates during year, six; largest number at one time, six; smallest number, four. Number at time of visitation, four, viz., two men and two women. Two women help with housework; one man does light work. Ages: two between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; one between 80 and 90. Three inmates permanent, one temporary. One man and one woman mentally defective. Three tramps during year, separated from the other inmates, lodged, fed, not required to work. One hundred and fifty-eight acres of land; nineteen acres ploughed; twenty-five acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$11,537.92. Total annual cost, \$4,010.05; net, \$1,010.42.

WEST NEWBURY. Population, 1,473.

Inspected November 12, 1913.

Warden, Harrison W. Tyler; matron, Mrs. Tyler; served here one year and seven months. Warden leases the farm and boards the inmates. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Twelve sleeping-rooms, with ten beds. One bath-room, with cold water only. Three privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, three; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, one man, between 90 and 100 years of age; permanent; does no work. One death during past year. Sixty-five acres of land; four acres ploughed; fourteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,500.

WESTON. Population, 2,106.

Inspected September 24, 1913.

Warden, George H. Henderson; matron, Mrs. Henderson; served here nine and one-half years. Warden is allowed use of farm for care of one inmate, and receives \$2 per week for care of each additional inmate. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. Dining-room used as sitting-room. Five sleeping-rooms, with four beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; one privy. Heating by stoves and hot air. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, two; largest number at one time, two; smallest number, one. Number at time of visitation, one man, between 70 and 80 years of age; permanent; does light chores; and is mentally defective. Sixty-eight acres of land; seventeen acres ploughed; ten acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$6,000. Total annual cost, \$200.83; net, \$200.83. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$364.86.

WESTPORT. Population, 2,928.

Inspected July 24, 1913.

Warden, Aaron Besse; matron, Mrs. Besse; salary, \$400; served here seven months. Warden has six rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Nine sleeping-rooms, with nine beds. One bath-room, without direct supply of water. Two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Total number of inmates during year, three; largest number at one time, one; smallest number, one. No inmates at time of visitation. Ten tramps during year, separated from other inmates, lodged, fed, required to work one hour at wood pile. Forty-five acres of land; one-half an acre ploughed; sixteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$4,505.18. Total annual cost, \$1,213.90; net, \$986.22.

WEYMOUTH. Population, 12,897.

Inspected June 9, 1913.

Warden, John Eldredge; matron, Mrs. Eldredge; salary, \$1,800; served here one year and two months. Warden has charge of town wood yard and delivers wood to outdoor poor, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by warden. Warden has six rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and an assembly-room. Thirty-four sleeping rooms, with

forty-five beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Three water-closets; three privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventy-eight; largest number at one time, forty-one; smallest number, thirty-one. Number at time of visitation, thirty-two, viz., twenty-two men, nine women, one boy. Two men do general farm work, two do light chores, two help with washing, four help in house; one woman does housework and sews and mends. Ages: one between 15 and 21; one between 40 and 50; five between 50 and 60; eleven between 60 and 70; ten between 70 and 80; four between 80 and 90. Twenty-nine inmates permanent, three temporary. Six deaths during past year. Two men and two women mentally defective; one man epileptic; two men and one woman cripples; one man mentally defective and crippled. Three consumptives, two men and one boy, separated from other inmates at night only, receiving special treatment and diet. Sixty-four acres of land; sixteen acres ploughed; seven acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$26,009. Total annual cost, \$10,662.36; net, \$5,749.58. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$653.26.

WILMINGTON. Population, 1,858.

Inspected January 29, 1913.

Warden, William S. Benson; matron, Mrs. Benson; salary, \$500; served here one and three-quarters years. One assistant, a man, paid by town. Warden has five rooms. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Dining-room used as a sitting-room. Seven sleeping-rooms, with seven beds. Two privies. Heating by stoves. Lighting by oil. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, four; largest number at one time, four; smallest number, three. Number at time of visitation, three, viz., two men, one woman. Men do no work; woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 40 and 50; one between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. All inmates permanent. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple. Eighty-five acres of land; eight acres ploughed; fifteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$7,565.95. Total annual cost, \$2,628.32; net, \$692.82. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$146.41.

WINCHENDON. Population, 5,678.

Inspected November 19, 1913.

Warden, Amos L. Johnson; matron, Mrs. Johnson; salary, \$600; served here one and one-half years. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has five rooms and a bath-room.

One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room, a smoking-room, and a reception-room. Sixteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with twenty-two beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Four water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by oil. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, twenty-seven; largest number at one time, sixteen; smallest number, twelve. Number at time of visitation, thirteen, viz., ten men, two women, one boy. Three men do general farm work, one does barn chores, one helps in house; one woman does sewing and mending and helps with dishes. Ages: one between 15 and 21; one between 21 and 30; one between 40 and 50; one between 50 and 60; three between 60 and 70; five between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One woman mentally defective; one man a cripple; one boy and one man mentally defective and cripples. Two hundred acres of land; fifteen acres ploughed; thirty acres tilled. Chief products: cream and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$15,984. Total annual cost, \$6,178.32; net, \$3,848.40. Cost of improvements and repairs. \$546.67.

WOBURN. Population, 15,308.

Inspected January 28, 1913.

Warden, Thomas J. Begley; matron, Mrs. Begley; salary, \$700; served here nine years. Warden also delivers supplies to outdoor poor and manages city store, without extra compensation. Five assistants, one man and four women, paid by city. Warden has eight rooms and a bath-room. One room, with two beds, set apart for hospital use. Two sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, and a library of books. Nineteen sleeping-rooms and two dormitories, with fifty beds. Three bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Six water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, seventy-seven; largest number at one time, fifty-two; smallest number, thirty-two. Number at time of visitation, thirty-four, viz., twenty-seven men, five women, two boys. Eighteen men help in caring for pigs, hens, and cattle, saw and chop wood and help in the house; one woman helps with housework. Ages: one between 2 and 5; one between 5 and 15; three between 30 and 40; one between 40 and 50; three between 50 and 60; ten between 60 and 70; nine between 70 and 80; five between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. Twenty-eight inmates permanent, four temporary. Ten deaths during past year. Four men and one woman mentally defective; six men and one woman cripples: three men blind. One able-bodied inmate, a man, under sixty years of age. Three boarders, two men and one woman. One man supported by Winchester. Thirty-five

and one-half acres of land; five acres ploughed; twenty-two acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$17,300. Total annual cost, \$6,540.92; net, \$5,231.89.

WORCESTER. Population, 145,986.

Inspected August 18, 1913.

Warden, Thomas Horne; salary, \$1,650; matron, Mrs. Horne; salary, \$500; served here one year and three months. Warden is also superintendent of city scavenger department, without extra compensation. Forty assistants, twenty-four men and sixteen women, paid by city. Warden has nine rooms and a bath-room. Twenty-nine rooms and one ward, with fifty-nine beds, set apart for hospital use. Four sitting-rooms, a smoking-room, an assembly-room, a nursery, and a library of books. Thirty-five sleeping-rooms and six dormitories, with one hundred and eighty-five beds. Thirteen bath-rooms, with hot and cold water. Twenty-two water-closets. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Complete separation of sexes. Total number of inmates during year, three hundred and eight; largest number at one time, one hundred and ninety-four; smallest number, one hundred and fifty-seven. Number at time of visitation, one hundred and fifty-seven, viz., ninety-nine men, fifty-three women, two boys, three girls. Eight men do general farm work, fifteen do light chores, nineteen help in house; nine women help with housework, two sew and mend, one works in nursery. Ages: two under 2; two between 2 and 5; one between 15 and 21; four between 21 and 30; two between 30 and 40; seventeen between 40 and 50; twenty-two between 50 and 60; forty-four between 60 and 70; forty-two between 70 and 80; twenty between 80 and 90; one between 90 and 100. One hundred and forty-nine inmates permanent, eight temporary. Thirty-one deaths during past year. Nine men and twelve women mentally defective; four women epileptics; thirty-four men and ten women cripples; seven men and two women blind. Twelve able-bodied inmates, nine men and three women, under sixty years of age. Seven boarders, six men and one woman. One man and one woman supported by Templeton; one woman by Southborough; one man by the State. Four consumptives, three men and one woman, receiving special treatment and diet; women wholly separated from other inmates; men, at night only. Thirteen nurses, five men and eight women. Three hundred and seventy-six acres of land; fifty-four acres ploughed; one hundred acres tilled. Chief products: milk, vegetables, and pork.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$240,835.38. Total annual cost, \$69,858.25; net, \$43,652.03. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$3,500.

WRENTHAM. Population, 1,743.

Inspected March 18, 1913.

Warden. Jacob Bleik, Jr.; matron, Mrs. Bleik; salary, \$375; served here ten years. Warden also drives school barge, without extra compensation. Two assistants, one man and one woman, paid by town. Warden has four rooms. One room, with one bed, set apart for hospital use. One sitting-room. Ten sleeping-rooms, with fifteen beds. One bath-room, with hot and cold water. One water-closet; two privies. Heating by steam. Lighting by electricity. Sexes separated at night only. Total number of inmates during year, seven; largest number at one time, seven; smallest number, five. Number at time of visitation, seven, viz., five men, two women. One woman helps a little with the dish washing. Ages: one between 30 and 40; one between 50 and 60; one between 60 and 70; three between 70 and 80; one between 80 and 90. All inmates permanent. One death during past year. One man mentally defective; two men cripples. One boarder, a man. Eighty-six acres of land; fourteen acres ploughed; eighteen acres tilled. Chief products: milk and vegetables.

Valuation of almshouse property, \$10,724. Total annual cost, \$4,671.97; net, \$1,287.64. Cost of improvements and repairs, \$196.42.

STATISTICS OF POOR RELIEF.

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NUMBERS RELIEVED.

Some improvement is shown both in the completeness and the accuracy of returns from cities and towns this year over the data submitted to the Board last year. The information covers public relief, whether rendered in institutions or outside, and, with some defects in analysis to be noted later, covers aid rendered by all public agencies whether State or local.

The following tables are arranged to show numbers relieved and their analysis by sex, nativity, present age, and age at time of admittance. The tabulations are concluded by figures for cost of all relief.

Table I. shows the number supported or relieved by the several cities and towns during the year beginning April 1, 1912, and ending March 31, 1913. All persons are included, regardless of settlement. The total number receiving aid in any form, exclusive of vagrants and wayfarers, was 66,737. Of this number, 15,314 were aided in institutions, and 51,423 — the remainder — outside, either in private families or in their own homes. Of the persons aided in institutions, 11,910 were relieved in the various city and town almshouses, leaving 3,404 who were cared for in other institutions. Of the outside aid, 1,537 cases were aided in private families other than their own, while 49,886 were reported as having been aided in their own homes. This last figure thus comprises practically all city and town aid usually known as local public outdoor relief.

Table II. supplies the same data for persons aided or relieved by the State as is shown in Table I. for local relief. In addition to aid rendered directly by the State, this table includes also all those cases included in Table I., in which the relief has been rendered by cities and towns in the first instance and

reimbursed by the State as required by law. A defect in the analysis arises from the absence of continued cases, the statistics for which are not thus far available; thus all those cases under care in the State institutions March 31, 1912, and so continued to April 1, 1913, are not counted. In an imperfect way, therefore, the table shows 16,569 persons aided by the State. Of this number the aid in 11,895 cases was first rendered by the several cities and towns. The remaining 6,549 cases were aided by the State; 3,745 of them at the State Infirmary; 366 in the almshouse wards at the State Farm; 105 at the Massachusetts Hospital School, and 458 at the State sanatoria for tubercular patients.

Table III. affords a rapid glance at the movement of population in the dependent group during the year under analysis. Thus it appears that 33,154 cases represented approximately the total number of persons receiving aid April 1, 1912. About 85 per cent. of these were receiving relief locally. During the year 38,257 new cases were admitted to relief, 46 per cent. of which were aided either directly or through reimbursement by the State. The persons who passed out of care during that same period numbered 37,556, viz., city and town cases, 25,772. State cases, 11,784. Those in this total released by death numbered 2,785; and 1,552 were persons transferred. At the close of the year, therefore, the cities and towns had 29,070 persons in receipt of relief, and the State had 4,785, making a total of 33,855.

Table IV. begins classification of the whole number of persons aided, and shows the analysis by color, nativity and sex. Of the 71,411 persons so aided, 35,197 were males and 36,214 were females. The colored races furnished only 1.7 per cent., or 1,271, of the whole number. The native-born whites — 45,314 — still number about double the foreign born of the white races, the 23,770 of this latter group representing a proportionate increase of 8 per cent. over last year. The sexes of the native born stand about equal, while of the foreign born, the females outnumber the males by 19.6 per cent. These ratios closely reflect those in the population generally.

Table V. gives a further interesting analysis of the native-born persons aided during the year classified by parent nativity.

The parents of 13,513 were both native; 21,087 were children of foreign-born parents; 7,898 were of parents one of whom was foreign born; while the nativity of parents in 3,904 cases remained unascertained. It appears from this table, therefore, that of the 71,411 persons receiving aid in Massachusetts in the year ending March 31, 1913, there were at least 45,013 who were either foreign born or were of the first generation in our citizenship.

Table VI. shows the number of poor persons admitted for the first time during the year ending March 31, 1913, to relief in institutions and in families, classified by sex and by age at the time of such admittance. The total shown was 25,062, namely, 13,748 males and 11,314 females. Of this number, 632 were of unknown age. Of the remainder, there were 4,401 under five years of age; 2,932 between five and nine; 1,930 between ten and fourteen; 1,179 between fifteen and nineteen; 1,560 between twenty and twenty-four; 1,685 between twenty-five and twenty-nine; 1,679 between thirty and thirty-four; 1,674 between thirty-five and thirty-nine; 1,421 between forty and forty-four; 1,150 between forty-five and forty-nine; 1,141 between fifty and fifty-four; 954 between fifty-five and fifty-nine; 972 between sixty and sixty-four; 689 between sixty-five and sixty-nine; 526 between seventy and seventy-four; 295 between seventy-five and seventy-nine; 170 between eighty and eighty-four; 44 between eighty-five and eighty-nine; 19 between ninety and ninety-four; 4 between ninety-five and ninety-nine; and 5 over one hundred. It appears, therefore, that 10,442, or 41.6 per cent. of all cases considered in this table, were under twenty years of age. and that 10,964, or 43.7 per cent., were between twenty and sixty.

An analysis of the present age of all persons relieved (Table VII.). when compared with Table VI., in which are shown ages at time of first admittance to relief, is calculated to show on the average the length of time during which aid has continued. and also the number of persons aided during the past

year who fell within the ages of youth, of probable self-support, and of superannuation. By Table VII. it appears that of the 71,411 cases aided, 7,016 were under five; 25,770 were under fifteen; 31,124, or 43.5 per cent., including the above, were under twenty; 27,354, or 38.3 per cent., were between twenty and sixty; and 10,663, or 14.9 per cent., were over that age. The ages of 2,270 were unknown.

Among the poor persons relieved are always a considerable number of mental defectives who for one reason or another have not been committed and are therefore not cared for in the special institutions, such as the asylums for the insane, maintained for that purpose. In regard to this class it is to be noted further that, since no court has passed upon their mental condition, their classification here is made only because, in the opinion of the respective authorities making the returns, there is no doubt of their defect. Table VIII. affords a rough classification into three groups, according to the nature of the defect, and a division by sex. The total number thus cared for was 613, namely, 343 males and 270 females. All of these cases were relieved by the cities and towns, 95 of the number having no settlement. Two hundred and seventy-nine of the whole number were classed as "insane," mostly the senile and mildly insane to be found in the almshouses. This total includes 157 males and 122 females. Two hundred and fifty-three were called "idiotic," namely, 144 males and 109 females. The "epileptics" totaled 81, of whom 42 were males and 39 were females.

Table IX. calls attention more pointedly to the sex and the nature of discharge from relief of those persons who passed out of aid during the year. Of the 37,556 cases so dismissed, 20,163 were males and 17,393 were females. Thirty-three per cent., or 12,424, were released to the care of relatives or friends. In this group the females preponderated slightly. About 4 per cent., or 1,552 of the whole number, were transferred to other institutions, while 7.4 per cent., namely, 2,785, died. The remainder, or 20,795, representing 55.3 per cent. of the aggregate, were discharged without relatives or friends or other authorities

agreeing to look after them. The great majority in this last group were persons assisted through illness, after which they became self-supporting again.

As appears from Table X, the foreign born who were receiving public relief during the year, numbered 23,926, or 33.5 per cent. of the entire number of persons aided. This percentage exceeds the proportion of foreign born in the population generally (31.4 per cent.) by 2.1 per cent. Canada furnished 5,928 of this number; England, 2,134; Germany, 401; Ireland, 8,851; Italy, 1,763; Russia, 1,616; Scandinavia, 429; and Scotland, 523. All other countries, 2,281.

Table XI. shows the percentage of the various classes aided to the whole number relieved. Thus of the 71,411 persons relieved, exclusive of indigent persons in residence at the State Infirmary and the State Farm on April 1, 1912, 76.80 per cent. were settled cases, receiving their assistance out of local taxes; 23.20 per cent. were unsettled, and though relieved by the respective cities and towns in the first instance in a majority of cases, were ultimately aided out of the State tax. As to the place in which relief was given, 27.99 per cent. of the total were aided in institutions, namely, 16.68 per cent. in almshouses, 6.54 per cent. in State institutions, and a small residue of 4.77 per cent. in other institutions, mostly under private management. Outdoor relief, designated as aid "outside," was given in 72.01 per cent. of all the cases. Most of these, namely, 69.86 per cent., were relieved in their own homes. Aid was given in private families other than the recipient's own, — mostly boarded cases, — in 2.15 per cent.

Percentages of age show that 43.5 per cent. were minors, 38.3 per cent. were between the ages of twenty-one and sixty, and 14.9 per cent. were sixty or over. The ages of 3.1 per cent. were unknown.

Sexes were almost even, females rating 50 per cent.

The number of colored persons was very small, totaling only 1.7 per cent.

By reason of thorough-going classification in the care of defectives, the percentage of those mentally deficient persons still

cared for as poor-relief cases is exceedingly small, and tends always to decrease. The mental condition of all the cases aided shows, on analysis, that 99.14 per cent. were sane, 0.39 per cent. were insane, 0.36 per cent. were idiotic, and 0.11 per cent. were epileptic. The proportion of sane persons in last year's returns was 98.08 per cent.

It is further of interest to view at a glance the numerical relationship to the whole population of the persons relieved at public expense as appears in Table XII., which exhibits the number of each class in every thousand of the population of the State on a basis of the census of 1910. Thus it is shown that in each thousand of the population there were 21.21 indigent persons relieved at public expense. Ten and forty-five one-hundredths of these were males, and 10.76 were females. The native born numbered 13.78 in the thousand; foreign born, 7.11; native born of foreign parentage, 6.26; and those of unknown nativity, 0.32. The proportion of vagrants reported was 4.20 in the thousand.

COST OF POOR RELIEF.

The funds laid out by the several cities and towns for all poor relief within their respective fiscal years are shown in Table XIII. The aggregate is classified as "ordinary" or maintenance, and "extraordinary" or special. Together with the ordinary outlays are shown the receipts on account of maintenance, and the difference, set out under "net ordinary expenditures." The ordinary outlay is classified as expenses in institutions and outside. This subdivision follows the classifications in Table I. regarding the nature and the place of aid. The grand totals in Table XIII. show that an aggregate of \$2,909,952.91 was laid out by the several cities and towns. Of this sum, \$2,872,802.37 was ordinary outlay, or maintenance; the remainder, or \$37,150.54, was expended for sundry improvements, all of it at the city and town almshouses. Of the money laid out for maintenance, \$1,285,940.60 was expended for almshouse care and \$238,849.62 for relief in other institutions. Care in private families took \$215,039.10, and relief in the recipients' own home, *i.e.*, outdoor poor relief, totaled

